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andbags Placed About Weak Spots

esidents and Buisness Houses Have Been Hurriedly Abandoned

CUT THE LEVEE.

Cairo, Ill., April 1.—The levee as been ordered cut at Shawetown to save life and property.

Cairo, Ill., April 1.—Flood conditions here today along the Ohio r levee are declared by the oldest zens to be the most desperate in r time. The water is rising at rate of about one foot a day and stands two feet and eight inches m the top of the concrete wall t at the levee.

While this situation is not encouring, the reports of the weather eau here of upriver and tributary ditions were enough to cause ther alarm. New reports came of eding waters as far away as Cinnati, while some tributaries were orted rising. It is generally beed that the high stage will not be ched today and probably not be e Wendesday night or Thursday. e rise of the river is much faster n last year. The city is sending women and children out on every in. Two baggage cars were filled h trunks this morning and enoughained to fill another.

The weather continued beautiful. siness men as switchmen, loading ggage, unloading sand, clay and nber, while clerks and other ofe help handled shovels.

Negroes were placed at work with od pumps to keep the streets clear seepage water which came under e concrete walls. The water rose places to a depth of six inches.

a meeting between officials of exander county, the city of Cairo d Colonel Daniel J. Moriarity of e seventh regiment, I. N. G., it was reed to place the entire situation charge of Colonel Moriarity.

As soon as the authority was given e colonel, he detailed squads of diers to go along the levee of the ssissippi and Ohio river as far as e drainage district and compel eryone who is able to work and not eady engaged, to help reinforce e levee.

Enginers were called into conrence and asked for descriptions of e weak points that special attenn might be given them.

The seventh regiment, which had adquarters in St. Mary's Park toy moved its equipment into a large arf boat on the Ohio. This places l the quarters of troops on boats.

Two additional companies, arrived their way to Mound City, Ill., here it is said, a critical situation is veloping.

Cairo, Ill., April 1.—The Ohio ver rose steadily through the night d at seven o'clock today stood at point betwen 53.2 and 53.3. The pulation was astir early and the ct that the water had substantially ssed the 52 mark caused considable anxiety.

All expected that the day would ove the crucial one in the fate of e city. The crest of the flood is pected to reach here today and if e levees hold, it is the belief that e worst will be passed. Much ouble was experienced during the ght in the drainage district along e Big Four levee. Three times ides occurred and only valiant ork on the part of those watching saved the day. Dozens of carads of sandbags were placed about e weak spots and serious trouble as averted.

Water seeped through under the oncrete wall and stood in the main reet of Cairo today but the levee as shown no signs of weakening. A g force of men worked all night lacing sandbags and other hold acks along the city front.

It is expected the mayor and heriff will give the military comlete control of the situation. Word as received from Major General Wood at Cincinnati by the general elief committee that the situation ould be handled the same as last ear.

Refugees continued to leave the ity all night and crowds are still aiting at depots to get out.

The water is rising much more apidly than yesterday and the demand for more workingmen became rgent. At 9 o'clock the gauge read 3.5 and was creeping up. The surace of the Ohio now stands about ne foot higher than the highest street level which is the main thoroughfare of the town.

In case of a break the flood waers would not rise to more than ne or two feet in the buildings on he street, but all of the town back of this street becomes gradually lower and most of the houses would be completely submerged.

A large subway which was the only passageway from Cairo into the drainage district has been blocked to save the city. The place was boarded up and dozens of carloads of sandbags placed to hold it secure. According to workmen who are able to battle no longer with the levee situation in the drainage district they are brought into Cairo and set to work along the river front. Most of the houses and places of business in the drainage territory have been abandoned and it is the prediction that the section is doomed. It is believed this break cannot result in Cairo proper being flooded. The state troops were sent out in squads of five today, each accompanied by a policeman, to visit the rendezvous of men who are either unwilling or have refused to work. One of the purposes of closing all places of business which do not handle goods needed for the comfort and necessities of the people was to give opportunity to get out the strongest working force possible.

CHICAGO REMEMBERS OCTOBER 8TH, 1871.

Chicago, April 1.—Contributions to Chicago's relief fund for the flood sufferers today aggregated $375,000.

The Chicago Association of Commerce shipped thirty carloads of provisions and supplies to Ohio and Indiana cities. In the last week five hundred nurses have been sent from this city into the flood zone.

FLAGLER IS SINKING.

West Palm Beach, Fla., April 1.—The condition of Henry M. Flagler, who recently suffered a fall at his home near here, was reported worse today. Relatives and friends expressed considerable anxiety over his condition.

FORTUNE OF J. P. MORGAN

Is Variously Estimated at From $75,000,000 to $300,000,000.

SON GETS BULK OF ENORMOUS WEALTH

Greatest Part of the Estate Consists Chiefly of Gilt Edge Securities.

New York, April 1.—Estimates of the fortune left by J. P. Morgan, as made in the financial district today, range from $75,000,000 to $300,000,000, this sum including his art collections. It is understood that the financier's will is of comparatively recent date but no intimation has been made as to when it will be given to the public. Mr. Morgan's personal counsel declines to discuss the matter.

Those who shared Mr. Morgan's close friendship predict that there will be large charitable and public bequests although it is conceded that the son of J. P. Morgan, will doubtless receive the bulk of the fortune. That Mr. Morgan's realty holdings were comparatively small and by far the greatest part of the estate, it is understood, will be found to be made up of gilt-edged securities. Judging by his former quiet philanthropy those who speculated today as to possible bequests thought that the Metropolitan Museum of Art, the Episcopal church and perhaps Yale and Harvard universities would come in for handsome benefactions.

The funeral plans, it was thought will be announced some time today either in New York or Rome.

AFTER WHICH GOTCH WILL VERY LIKELY QUIT GAME AGAIN.

Kansas City, Mo., April 1.—Frank Gotch, champion of the world, and George Lurich, of Russia, will meet in a finish wrestling match here tonight. Catch-as-catch-can style of wrestling will be used.

Views of Dayton Flood

JOHN H. PATTERSON, head of the National Cash Register Company, superintending rescue work at the water's edge.

BIG FLOOD ONE WEEK AGO TODAY

SWEPT WEST SIDE OF COLUMBUS TO DESTRUCTION.

Today Sun Shines on Work of Re-Constructing the Ruined Property.

SEVENTY BODIES SO FAR RECOVERED.

Fear Expressed That Many Persons Were Washed Down River.

Only Damaged Foundations Left Where Homes Once Stood.

Washington, April 1.—Today's official flood bulletin from the water bureau follows:

"The Ohio river at Cincinnati, Tuesday morning, was at a stage of 69.8 feet, 19.8 feet above flood stage. It will probably remain at about this stage during the next 24 hours and then begin to slowly fall.

"At Louisville the river Tuesday morning was within .3 foot of a stage of 45 feet and still rising. The Cairo stage was 53.2 feet, 8.2 feet above flood stage."

The flood is expected to reach New Orleans between April 20 and April 30 and at upriver stations correspondingly easier.

Columbus, O., April 1.—In contrast with the scenes of destruction in the flood-swept west side of this city one week ago today, when scores of homes, business blocks and people were being carried down in the swollen waters of the Scioto river today was a beaming sun which added cheer to the work of rehabilitation. Dispelling thoughts of the distracting scenes of horrible experiences of those days of suffering and torments, as best they could, the hundreds of residents of the west side, assisted by willing hands of their more fortunate neighbors, today were busy cleaning mud from their homes and getting together pieces of furniture that had lodged in drifts.

In many instances, however, all was either gone completely or damaged beyond repair. In many other instances, only damaged foundations were left to mark the place where cheery homes once stood.

Although it has been one whole week since the flood-waters wrought such havoc and destruction, dozens of people still were searching for members of their families who have been missing and who are believed to be among the dead.

Although only 70 bodies had been recovered up to this noon the fact that many are still missing convinces authorities that it is likely that a number of bodies probably never will be recovered. Some of these bodies are supposed to have been swept down stream and some of them are believed to have been the bodies that were seen passing through Chillicothe, 50 miles south, while the flood was at its height.

Must Loop the Loop.

Cincinnati, O., April 1.—Satisfied that he had accomplished all the good he could in the flood district, Secretary of War Garrison left Cincinnati for Washington early today. Owing to the high water the secretary will be compelled to take a circuitous route to reach Washington. He will go by way of Knoxville, Tenn., Bristol and Lynchburg, Va.

Crest Expected Today.

The Ohio river here rose two-tenths of a foot during the night and early today the stage was 69.8 feet. Weather Forecaster Devereaux said he expected the river to rise another tenth, after which it probably would recede. The fall, he said, would be slow at first because of the large amount of water above. Up-river points report the river either stationary or falling slowly.

Louisville Feels Easier.

Louisville, Ky., April 1.—Little anxiety was felt over the few inches of additional rise predicted for the river before the crest of the flood reaches here late today or early tomorrow, with a stage of 45 feet. Major General James A. Logan, Jr., of the quartermaster's department, and Lieutenant Simon Bolivar Buckner, Jr., and 16 men, who arrived here last night from Hamilton, Ohio, expected to have their federal relief work well under way at lower river points before the final swell reaches that section.

New Richmond Gets It.

New Richmond, O., April 1.—The entire town of New Richmond was under water today. The people have taken up quarters on the hills surrounding the town. Provisions have been received from Batavia and there is no suffering. No one has been reported dead or missing. Fifty houses have been washed from their foundations at Moscow near New Richmond.

Heavy Property Loss.

Lawrenceburg, Ind., April 1.—An inspection made today showed that 70 homes of persons in good circumstances have been proctically destroyed by the flood here. Relief work is being conducted systematically and there is no suffering.

No Chance to Save Them.

Parkersburg, W., Va., April 1.—The three-story building occupied by the Martin Wholesale Grocery company was burned and the adjoining building occupied by the Miller Furniture company collapsed this morning. Both were in the flooded district, and firemen could not reach them. The water is receding and Baltimore and Ohio railroad officials express the belief they will have a train in here from the east by nightfall.

Everyone Cleaning Up.

Hamilton, O., April 1.—Factory whistles here early today called hundreds of workmen to labor in cleaning away the mud and wreckage left by the flood. The manufacturers decided to re-open shops as quickly as possible, giving employment at once to all employes in cleaning up the factories.

State House Lighted Again.

Columbus, O., April 1.—A week, almost to the hour, after they were suddenly shut off by water flooding the power house at the penitentiary, lights were restored in the state house today. During the entire flood period military and relief work for the sufferers throughout the state were directed from state house offices dimly lighted with lanterns, oil lamps and gasoline torches. After the water receded from the penitentiary power house the machinery had to be taken apart and baked.

Business Little Affected.

Columbus, O., April 1.—Local managers of R. G. Dun and Bradstreets, financial agencies today issued the following statement regarding the condition of business

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Crowds at the foot of a street to watch the launching of boats built by the National Cash Register Company for rescue.

Monarchs of Old World Express Deep Sympathy

Washington, April 1.—Messages continue to come to President Wilson today from foreign rulers expressing sympathy for sufferers in the western floods. King George of England cabled:

"I am greatly distressed at the news of the disastrous floods and the grievous loss of life caused by them. I desire to express to your excellency my deep sympathy with yourself and the people of the United States in your misfortune."

The president replied:

"Allow me in the name of the people and government of the United States to express deep appreciation of your majesty's kind message of condolence."

King Emmanuel of Italy:

"On hearing of the news of the floods that have devasted the prosperous regions and made so many victims I beg you to believe in the sentiment of sincere and deep sympathy with which I join in your country's mourning."

President Wilson responded:

"Your majesty's touching words of sympathy in the terrible loss of life and property which has befallen many American homes are a real solace to the government and people of the United States."

From Sultan Ahmed Kadjar of Persia came the following:

"Deeply shocked by the terrible catastrophe that has befallen the United States by reason of the flood, I hasten to offer to your excellency and the American nation the expression of my most earnest regret and sincere condolence."

President Wilson replied:

"On behalf of the American people and in my own name I thank your majesty for your kind words of sympathy in the direful calamity which has befallen so many American families."

Ex-Treasurer Green Tells His Story Of His Illegal Dealings

Grilled at His Secret Hearing, London Man Reveals Valuable Secrets

Two More Ohio Banks Mixed Up In Inquiry

Tale Of Rottenness Similar To That Told By Ex-Official H. W. Backhus

Columbus, O., April 1.—Former State Treasurer Charles C. Green, of London, O., who also served as cashier of the treasury department under Treasurers I. B. Cameron and W. S. McKinnon, has given state investigators, looking into the wrecking of the defunct Columbus Saving and Trust Company, a complete statement of the treasurer's alleged illegal dealings with at least 10 Ohio banks, and has involved two financial institutions against which no action has yet been taken by the state.

According to the state's attorneys who are conducting the investigation, Green was grilled at a secret hearing yesterday afternoon. The grill was conducted by Attorneys H. J. Booth and Robert W. McCoy, for the state; Prosecuting Attorney Edward C. Turner, and Special Counsel Frank Davis Jr., of the attorney general's office. An official transcript of Green's testimony was taken.

The former state treasurer's story is said to have borne out the story of H. W. Backhus, secretary and treasurer of the defunct bank, and other minor bank officials. While former Treasurer Greens' statement was complete in every detail, and was voluntary, Attorney Booth stated today that absolutely no promise of immunity has been extended to him.

State's attorneys declared that Green's testimony was the most important break which the state has been able to make in the line of defense built up by accused bankers. While they would give out nothing definite as to what Green had testified, they intimated that he told them the names of the various officials of the involved banks who negotiated the loans, and who called at the state treasury for the money.

Green told the investigators today that since the disclosures in the Columbus Savings and Trust company's case have been made, he has made four trips from London to discuss his proposition to make a complete statement.

Twice he came to Columbus he said for a conference with Harry M. Daugherty, who was a member of the executive committee of the board of directors of the Columbus institution. Once, two weeks ago, he went to Canton to interview his brother-in-law, Homer L. Rose, who later went before the probers. And ten days ago he conferred in Columbus with Mr. Daugherty, Cyrus Huling and Attorney Barton Griffith, who is representing the bank in the present proceedings.

He would have made his statement to the state earlier he said, had the flood not cut him off from communication with Columbus.

Green's statement, attorneys declare, covered the state treasurer's dealings with the following banks:

The National bank of Ashtabula and the Marine National of Ashtabula; the defunct Columbus Savings and Trust Company of Columbus; the defunct Union National of Columbus, involving also the defunct Merchants' and Manufacturers' National of Columbus; the Hough Banking and Trust Company of Cleveland; the First National of Cleveland, and the Euclid Avenue Trust Company of Cleveland.

In addition to this it is alleged that Green's statement covered transactions with one Columbus bank which has not been mentioned in connection with the present scandal, and another bank in a smaller northern Ohio city.

THIRTY-SEVEN BODIES FOUND

Town of Piqua Heavy Sufferer From Recent Ohio Floods.

SEVEN OF A FAMILY FOUND IN A FIELD.

Among Bodies Recovered is That of Attorney Jamison of Troy.

Columbus, O., April 1.—Thirty seven bodies have been recovered in Piqua, according to the report made by Senator I. C. Kiser, of Miami county, who returned here today after a personal inspection of conditions in Piqua. Among them was the body of Attorney Clark Jamison, of Troy. In Shawnee, a part of East Piqua, a strip 100 yards wide had been swept almost barren of structures. Only a few houses were left on their foundations in East Piqua.

The bodies of a family of seven which lived on a farm near Ebinezer, a station between Piqua and Dayton, were found in a field on the farm. They had been drowned while trying to escape. While walking between Dayton and Piqua Senator Kiser and Representative Van S. Deaton saw three automobiles which had been tossed up by the flood.

DR. F. F. FRIEDMANN SORELY CENSURED BY WITHERSPOON.

Nashville, Tenn., April 1.—Dr. W. J. Witherspoon, of Nashville, president of the American Medical association, today authorized a statement relative to his views on the discovery of a tuberculosis cure claimed by Dr. F. F. Friedmann, of Berlin. Dr. Witherspoon said:

"Taking all the facts of his course into consideration I think his condition in refusing to give his so-called discovery to the medical profession and to the people is the conduct of a fakir rather than that of a scientist."

BODY OF MORGAN WELL ENCLOSED IN THREE CASKETS.

Rome, April 1.—The body of the late J. Pierpont Morgan after it had been embalmed and dressed, was today enclosed in a walnut coffin lined with white brocade. This was then placed in a leaden casket and finally in a third casket of heavy walnut with gold and silver fittings.

The United States ambassador has offered to hold a funeral service at the embassy in pursuance of instructions received from Secretary of State Bryan.

No definite arrangements have yet been made for the transportation of the body to America but it is understood that accommodations have been offered to board the Koenig Albert leaving Naples on April 4.

RESTLESS MEXICO HAS INCLINATION TO DISRUPT AGAIN.

Mexico City, April 1.—The breaking of all negotiations of peace with Zapata has forced the government to mobilize a strong force for a campaign against the southern rebels. This has been done in spite of the fact that rebel successes in the north have made imperative the dispatch of a large part of the regular army to that region.

The war department says that government troops will begin moving today into those districts infested by Zapata's followers. This concentration will continue until an army of 10,000 men has been gathered.

SHUT OFF MOTOR OF HIS AEROPLANE 600 FEET IN THE AIR

London, April 1.—Lieutenant Perlovsky, of the Russian army committed suicide at Warsaw on Sunday by deliberately shutting off the motor of an aeroplane in which he was flying and dropped from a height of 600 feet to the ground according to a despatch today.

The tragedy was believed to have been an accident until today, when a letter written just before the fatal flight was opened. In it Lieutenant Perlovsky expressed his intention of committing suicide in mid-air and gave as a reason that he had been the victim of many intriguez.

SEEK TO ENJOIN SECRETARY McADOO FROM PAYING BILLS

Washington, April 1.—Secretary McAdoo today enjoyed the sensation of sitting in the midst of hundreds of millions of dollars and accepting service in a suit for a paltry $8,000. The suit was brought by two surety companies, which had bonded Ambrose B. Stannard, a contractor who had undertaken to construct a post office building in Delaware for the government. The companies contend Stannard did not fulfill his contract and they have brought suit to enjoin Secretary McAdoo from paying over to Stannard some $8,306 which is still due him. Stannard is also made a party to the suit.

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MONTHLY SHIFT OF POLICE OFFICERS

Patrolmen Roberts, Wallace and Webb Harrison Transferred From Night Duty Day Duty.

The usual monthly shift went into effect at noon today. Patrolman Roberts, Wallace, and Webb Harrison were transferred from night to day patrol duty, and Patrolmen Sullivan, Snyder and Landfair, who have ben on day duty, were detailed for night duty. Roberts is patrolling the north end beat, Wallace the central beat, and Harrison the south side beat.

Patrolmen Cole and Waters continue on desk duty, Cole during the night and Waters during the day. No other changes were made in the lineup of the force.

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LIMA BARGAIN SHOE STORE

Dayton In Dire Need of Large Food Supply To Stop Starvation

Thousands of Refugees Make Great Inroads Into Provisions

CASH IN DEMAND AS MUCH AS EVER

Aide to President Wilson Suggests Federal Help for Gem City

Dayton, O., April 1.—The food supply in Dayton has been over-estimated, according to reports received today from relief stations scattered over the city. This morning, John H. Patterson, president of the relief committee wired Secretary of War Garrison that the food situation was much worse than had been anticipated and that the committees would look to the national government for supplies.

It is estimated that between 30,000 and 40,000 refugees are being fed daily. Provisions must be received in the stricken city before tomorrow or suffering will follow, officials say. Aside from the imminent danger of a food shortage, cash is in great demand. Checks for large sums are in the hands of the relief committee but they are practically worthless because cash is not available.

Three bodies were recovered today, bringing the toll of the flood up to 128, according to an estimate by Coroner J. W. McKemy. The lowlands south of Dayton are being searched and the coroner is making an effort to get a complete list of the dead from undertakers.

A carload of automobile tires, contributed by an Akron rubber company for use in relief work, arrived today.

Flood Problem Serious.

Washington, April 1.—It will be necessary to supply rations for thousands of flood victims for two weeks at Dayton in the opinion of Major Rhonds, President Wilson's aide. He reported to the war department today that the problem of feeding was a serious one, as many merchants would be unable to resume business for some time. For that reason Major Rhonds suggested that supply trains diverted to the flood districts along the Ohio river be sent to Dayton. He also proposed a commission of army engineers be sent to Dayton at once to devise measures for the future safety of the city either through the control of the head waters of the river or the reconstruction of the levees.

12,000 PEOPLE FED IN DAYTON

Colonel Vollrath Sends to Lima for More Supplies.

DIRECT LINE NOW IN OPERATION

Between Lima and Dayton Over C., H. & D. and Traction Lines.

Colonel Vollrath today telephoned from Dayton to Colonel Welty that the number of people fed by the troops at Dayton yesterday exceeded 12,000. The visible supply was being diminished to such an extent that Colonel Vollrath asked that more foodstuffs be sent out at once.

There has finally been such an amount of repairing done along the line of the railroads that cars can move with some degree of celerity. A bridge has been put into commission at Troy and carloads of goods can now go through without delay. It takes only five hours to get from Lima to Dayton, the final delivery being made over the Troy and Dayton traction line to dayton, within a quarter of a mile of Col. Vollrath's camp.

When the smoke has all cleared may the people will realize how much the railroads have done to alleviate the condition of those people who suffered from the effects of the flood.

The C. H. & D. has devoted itself to this work to the exclusion of everything else and has carried supplies without charge. The Pennsylvania railroad has placed its crews at the disposal of those in charge of the shipping of supplies, and other roads have been generous in this treatment of the situation.

There never has been in this state any more unanimity in the matter of extending aid to the suffering than has characterized the present. Aid comes from every direction, and in generous measure. Food and clothing is contributed unstintingly and without solicitation.

The town of Loramie has sent to Lima a carload of hospital supplies to be sent where it will do the most good.

Three car loads of bedding was sent on from Chicago to be divided three ways—one carload to go to Defiance, one load to go to Piqua and the other to remain in Lima to be sent where most needed.

Anna Station sent a carload of food to the relief of her sister town of Piqua.

New Knoxville is loading a car of provisions today to go to Dayton.

Waynesfield people are today loading a car load of provisions and clothing for the sufferers.

West Cairo's generous people are busily engaged today in loading a car with supplies to go where most needed.

The Lima people at Independence, Kansas, have sent to the supply station at Lima 2,000 loaves of bread to be sent to the hungry people at Piqua. The bread was brought by United States Express to Piqua free of express charges.

Congressman J. H. Goeke has been placed in charge of the handling of supplies from the Fourth congressional district and W. W. Durbin of Kenton, has been placed in charge of supplies for the Eighth district.

LO, THE POOR JANITOR!

There Are Several Things That He Refuses to Do.

Chicago.—The janitors of Chicago made a declaration of independence through delegates to the Chicago Federation of Labor. The federation voted to stand behind the janitors.

Here are a few of the things which are asserted to be entirely out of the scope of a perfectly good janitor's duties:

Caring for the tenants' babies on the maid's afternoon off and while the "missus" is out to tea.

Buttoning milady's gown down the back.

Caring for cats, dogs, canaries and other household pets.

Running errands to the delicatessen store on Sunday evenings.

Moving pianos and taking up rugs without extra pay.

Mending tenants' furniture.

Being responsible for forgotten keys and suffering to be routed from bed two or three times a night by late home coming tenants.

One delegate said: "We have been every one's servant too long. A janitor must not only be that, but a born diplomat as well, who knows how to regulate a furnace or button a woman's party dress with equal facility."

OH, HE'S A COLLEGE BOY.

Rev. Dr. Higgins Is Over Ninety. Holds Several Degrees.

St. Paul.—Although over ninety years old, the Rev. David J. Higgins, for many years a Methodist minister in Minnesota, has applied for admission to Hamline university to complete a course for the degree of doctor of philosophy. Mr. Higgins is at present residing near Los Angeles, having retired from the ministry in this state about ten years ago. Since going to California he has been studying in connection with the University of South ern California.

In a letter to President Kerfoot of Hamline, Mr. Higgins says that in spite of his advanced age his interest in philosophical matters has never diminished, and he desires to go on studying. The particular course of study he desires to pursue is philosophy of religions. He now holds both bachelor's and master's degrees and also the honorary degree of doctor of divinity.

In his letter to Dr. Kerfoot Mr. Higgins says he expects to live to be over a hundred.

Tombstone as a Barometer.

Upton, near Peterborough, one of the smallest parishes in England, numbering only fourteen houses, possesses a mysterious tombstone of black marble, which emits a damp ooze in patches when it is about to rain. It is regarded in the village as an infallible barometer.

Back to Eden.

"Dress does more harm than saloons," says a Chicago editor. Are we to have an anti-clothing league? —Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Views Of The Dayton Flood

M. B. HERMAN and DON ALLEN, two Cincinnati reporters, started for Dayton on Tuesday in an auto and soon found roads filled with water. At one point they had to wade out into the torrent to get wood for a corduroy road.

COMMISSIONER IS FOND OF CHOCOLATE

County Commissioner Arthur Fisher went home last night by the back ways for fear of those who were looking for his kind upon whom to vent their zealous desire of celebrating the day—April 1st. "Art" as he is familiarly known at the court house bit just once yesterday. He thought that he was biting a chocolate chip but he bit cardboard. One of the deputies of the probate court secured a plentiful of the chips and when she smilingly offered the sack to the commissioner he helped himself to a generous supply.

He took a dainty nibble—but it wouldn't nibble; then he tried to bite it—but it wouldn't bite. He tuged and pulled, his face grew red and he finally put the whole thing in his mouth and chewed lustily. At this stage he caught a glimpse of the face of the pretty deputy who had given him the candy and he caught. In disgust he spit out the "chocolate chip" and started in search of revenge. He got it. Within a few minutes all of the court house attaches were chewing cardboard. But Art says he earned his laugh.

Marriage Licenses.

There were just two couples that braved the dangers of April Fool's day and ventured into the court yesterday in search of licenses to wed. They were Guy F. Bayley and Foreste E. Ireland, and Carl Goss and Dora Schick.

From the demure smiles of the brides-elect and the grins of the prospective bridegrooms it was apparent that they did not consider themselves April Fooled.

The youngest of them was 24 years of age and all were past the age to be fooled easily—especially in such a matter.

Bayley is 28 years of age and a dentist, while Miss Ireland, the bride-to-be is 24 years of age. Goss is a farmer and 29 years of age, while Miss Schink is 22 years of age.

Disputed Door.

A curious suit is reported from Avignon, France. It is brought by an antiquary to obtain possession of the door of the city of Alan, which he had bought. Possession was refused on a prior contract with another party, but this contention was discovered. At this stage it was discovered that an old agreement existed prohibiting the demolition of any part of the property. This agreement is now being contested, and it is anticipated that the sale to the antiquary will be confirmed.

New Idea in Fruit Growing.

An electric motor to vibrate gently a fruit tree so that the sap flows to the buds and blossoms and enables them to resist frost has been patented by a Colorado orchardist.

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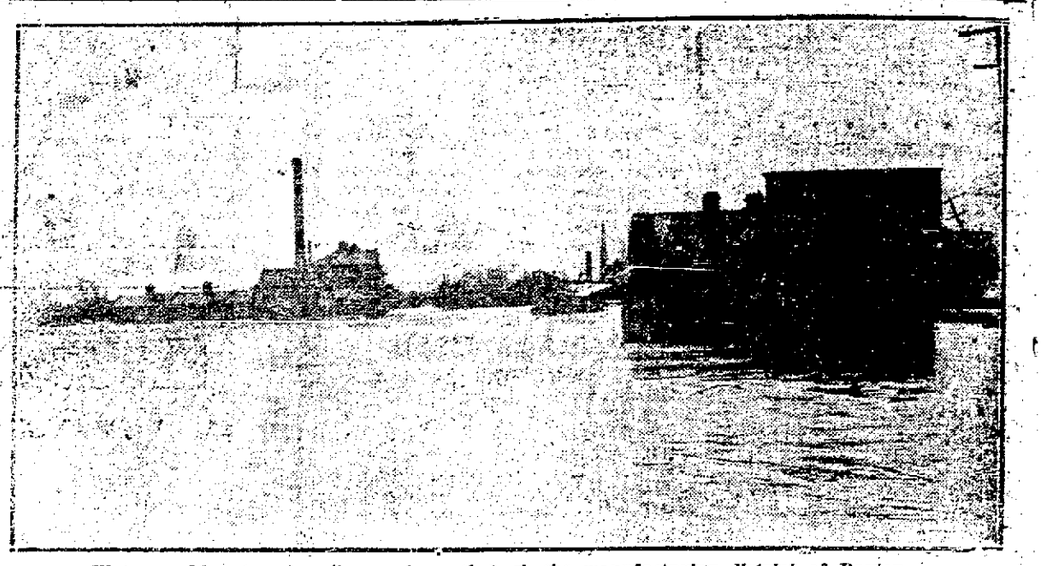

Water rushing twenty miles an hour through the manufacturing district of Dayton.

Higher Equity.

Bismarck used to delight in telling the story of how, when foraging for food with two companions in an almost deserted village, he came upon a man from whom he procured five eggs. Unable to divid five among three, he began by sw. owing two; then, calling his companions, shared the three remaining eggs with them—a truly Bismarckian idea of an equable division.—Pall Mall Gazette.

Her Infinite Variety.

As we sit down and ponder over the summer courtship we find the hand that wielded the canoe paddle now wields the broom. The suppers on river banks are now in a small dining room. The gazing at the sky in summer time is now looking to see if the wash can safely be put out. The hand in the wash tub is the hand that that trailed over the canoe side. The soft voice in quiet lanes is now—Don't you think it's a cruel world?—Kirkwood Courier.

Those who have the most of happiness think the least about it. But in thinking about and in doing their duty happiness comes—because the heart and mind are occupied with earnest thought that touches at a thousand points the beautiful and sublime realities of the universe—Thackeray.

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Sugar, all kinds, 10 lbs.....53c
Best Carolina Rice, 3 lbs.....25c
Booth's Spinach, large can, 2 for 25c
Narrow Fat Beans, 3½ lbs.....25c
Fancy Oil Sardines, 6 cans.....25c
Fine Pie Pumpkin, 3 cans.....28c
Lenox Soap, 8 for.....25c
Dutch Cleanser, 3 cans.....25c
Pure Olive Oil, bottle, 25c, 50c, 75c
Solid Packed Tomatoes, 3 cans..25c
Morning Dawn Sweet Potatoes, 2 cans.....25c
Macaroni or Spaghetti, 3 pkgs...22c
Beesch's Special Blend Coffee....36c
Fancy String Beans, 12c quality, 3 for.....28c
Best Bulk Starch, 6 lbs.....25c
Spring Leaf Japan Tea.....50c
Great Western or Polk's Hominy, 3 for.....23c
Special Mocha & Java Blend Coffee.....32c
Toilet Paper, 7 5c rolls.....25c
5½ lbs. New Navy Beans.....25c
10 lb. sack Table Salt.....10c
Flour, small sack.....75c

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The largest stock of bulk Garden and Flower Seeds in the country is now on display at our store. Don't take a chance at old seeds. Come to our store and get the best. When you buy seeds at our store they are sure to grow.

Houses Overturned in a Twelve-Foot Torrent Rushing Twelve Miles an Hour.

BIG FLOOD ONE WEEK AGO TODAY.

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interests of Columbus, following the flood:

"While the damage to our city has been great, from a business standpoint the greater inconvenience has been delayed mails and the breaking off of transportation. This, however, is being rapidly overcome. The part of the city most damaged is the part least affecting the general business interests of the city, being principally a residence section with only a few manufacturing establishments. Almost all of the larger industries and jobbing houses have not been affected at any time."

Whole Town Threatened.

Huntington, W. Va., April 1.—Fire broke out in the flooded residence district here early today and threatened an entire city block, but the flames were checked by the use of dynamite. Eleven persons were rescued from the burning buildings. Fire engines placed on barges pumped water on the flames. State Fire Marshal Allison directed the wor kof the firemen.

Gallipolis Relieved.

Gallipolis, O., April 1.—The Ohio river flood here began to recede yesterday after reaching 67 feet stage which is higher than the 1884 flood by two and a half feet. Esat Gallipolis is washed away, Gallipolis City was flooded for two squares in the business district for the first time in the history of the city.

Many buildings are damaged, two of which collapsed. The surrounding towns of Point Pleasant, Middleport and Pomeroy have sustained heavy losses. Two hundred houses passed down the river. Supplies are running short and there is much suffering. Many are camped on hills with all of their property gone. High winds also have caused great damage to inundated districts.

Met Peculiar Death.

A case in which three bluejackets were killed by fumes from potatoes was described in the recent annual report on the health of the British navy. The men were overcome in a provision room in the Superb, where there was a stock of potatoes. Some of the potatoes were germinating, and this gave rise to an accumulation of gas, which sufffocated the men.

Real Friend.

There is one friend who will never fail you while you have hands to move and a brain to plan. In your dreariest hours she will be your sweet refuge, and in times of prosperity she will guard you from "the pride which goeth before a fall." She will bring you long nights of restful sleep at the end of your busy days and when other friends grow careless or disdainful, she will absorb you more and more. Her name is Work, and neither the highest nor the lowest can be happy for long without her.

Signs Missing.

"Why do you want your money back?" asked the man at the box office. "You're operating under false pretenses here. This isn't a real vaudeville show. I noticed that three of the performers sang songs in which there was no mention of love in connection with the stars above."

MARIETTA:
Order Gold Medal Flour if your folks are picnicking about their victuals. SALLY ANN.

$2.50 *SHOES* $2.50

AT THE SHOE STORE IN THE AIR.

Remember, we have everything the down-stairs stores have, and our up-stairs Rent means a big saving to you—

$3.50, $4.00 and $5.00 Shoes—$2.50.

Wenger's Sample Shoe Store

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TAKE THE ELEVATOR

Abundant Fluffy Hair Is Impossible if You Have Dandruff

How often we hear a beautiful woman referred to as having a regal head!

Denude that head of its hair and instead of a queenly, royal bearing we have a fright. The hair makes all the difference. To have that glorious abundance of radiant hair which always crowns "a regal head," one should use Newbro's Herpicide.

Herpicide represents the last word in scientific hair culture. It destroys the dandruff, checks falling hair and corrects generally, diseases of the hair and scalp.

The positive results and its delicate but refreshing odor recommends Newbro's Herpicide to ladies of refinement everywhere.

Send 10 cents in postage for sample bottle of Herpicide and booklet to The Herpicide Co., Dept. R., Detroit, Mich.

Newbro's Herpicide in 50c and $1 sizes is sold by all dealers who guarantee it to do all that is claimed. If you are not satisfied your money will be refunded.

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RUDY AND REIS RESCUED BABIES FROM SWAMP

Marooned Family Towed to Shore in Boats and Cared For.

ANOTHER CALL FOR PROVISIONS

To be Sent to Scioto Marsh District Issued by the Association.

W. E. Rudy, automobile agent, and Carl Reis, grocer, both of this city, formed a live saving crew in the Scioto Marsh district yesterday that rescued a family of eight people from a one-story frame building that stood three feet in water. Among the eight were two twin babies, both boys, born less than a month ago, and in acknowledgement of the heroic service of the two men, the grateful father named one baby William Rudy, and the other Carl Reis.

Rudy learned of the family's predicament Sunday morning while on a relief expedition to that district, but was unable to reach them on account of the high water. Yesterday morning, he returned to the district with another truck load of provisions, gathered at the Salvation Army headquarters, and immediately sought out the house in which the family was marooned.

Wading to the house in hip boots, Rudy and Reis, assisted by volunteer workmen, succeeded in getting two boats to the house, in which the eight people were imprisoned. He found the entire family in bed, where they had taken refuge early Saturday morning. The family was suffering intensely from cold and hunger, as it was impossible to start a fire in the house.

The grown people were loaded into two boats, which were towed to dry land by the rescue party, while Rudy and Reis each gathered up one of the babies and carried them to the shore.

At Rudy's direction, the family were hauled to Alger, where arrangements were made for their care until their own home could be prepared for occupancy. The father of the children had only recently moved to Ohio from Kentucky to take employment in the onion district. Enough cash was left with him to take care of their immediate needs, and more supplies will be taken to them today.

At another house in the flood district, a baby born last Friday, and its mother were rescued by the local party, and medical attention secured. Both the baby and its mother were doing well, in spite of the fact that it had been impossible for a doctor to reach the house since last Friday.

Two car loads of food, clothing and provisions were distributed among the flood sufferers in the Scioto Marsh district yesterday. One truck was in charge of O. F. Ramseyer, and the other was in charge of Rudy and Reis. They were sent by the Progressive Association, although a large part of the provisions were loaded at the Salvation Army barracks, where the committee of ladies appointed by Mayor Shook had established a distributing point.

Another Truck Today.

Another truck, loaded with clothing, bed clothing, kitchen utensils, dishes and other supplies needed in that district was sent from Lima this morning in charge of O F. Ramseyer. The condition of the flood victims there is considerably improved, thanks to the assistance received from Lima, but there is still need of more supplies.

The Progressive Association this morning issued another urgent call for Lima people to contribute supplies to be sent to the district In addition to the articles mentioned yesterday, there is great need of baby clothes and children's clothing.

Any one having anything at the house which could be used by the families in distress are requested to call up the Progressive Association and arrangements will be made to send automobiles or wagons after the supplies. At no place in the state has there been a greater need for assistance than among the poor families who were flooded in the Scioto Marsh district and Lima has responded nobly to their appeals for help

BODY OF JAS. NIESE ARRIVES IN LIMA.

After having been sixteen days in transit from Cleveland to Lima, delayed by the floods, the body of James Neise arrived in the city this morning and was taken to the residence of his brother, Fred Neise of 519 west Spring street.

Mr. Neise was formerly a resident of Lima and died in Cleveland on Sunday March 23. The funeral was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of his brother, the services being under the direction of Rev. I J. Miller He was buried at Woodlawn.

SAXBY STILL PAYING OUT

But This Time a Smooth Check Forger Swindles Him Out of $8.00.

POLICE LOOKING FOR SWINDLER.

Wild and Wooly Westerner Creates Furore on the South Side.

Local police are on the lookout today for the smooth swindler who passed a bogus check for $8 on George Saxby, the south Main street saloonist, last evening

The check was drawn on the German American bank of this city, made payable to Henry Smith, and signed by the S M Meyers company When Saxby took the check to the bank this morning, he was informed that there was no such company having an account there

Saxby immediately notified the police, and a search was started for the forger The department has a fair description of the man, and hope to locate him, unless he has left the city.

Wild and Wooly.

Sol Miller, recently returned to Lima from the far west, celebrated his return by firing his revolver eight or ten times on First street yesterday afternoon, terrorizing residents in that vicinity The police department was notified, and Motorcycle Policeman Heffner despatched to the scene

In the meantime, Patrolman Sullivan, who patrols the south side beat, was notified, and hurried to the neighborhood to make an investigation. Miller, who had been drinking was brought to the station by the two officers, where he was lodged in jail on a charge of discharging fire-arms

He pleaded guilty this morning, and was fined $5 and costs.

Riding on Sidewalk.

A. C Hackenberger, a local youth was arrested early this moning by Officer Heffner for riding his bicycle on the sidewalk on Bellefontaine avenue He pleaded guilty before Mayor Shook, and was fined $1 and costs

After the hearing, the mayor announced that the police officers had been ordered to enforce the city ordinance prohibiting the use of sidewalks by cyclists, and that he would insist upon a rigid enforcement of the order until the practice had been completely broken up

Eight Drunks.

Eight drunks, arrested yesterday evening and last night, were arraigned before the mayor this morning. All pleaded guilty but Ed. Polena, who demanded a hearing. He will be accommodated this afternoon, when the arresting officers will appear against him

One of the number, Frank Williams, was an old-timer, and was fined $5 and costs. The others drew the minimum of $1 and costs each.

Brothers-in-Law Quarrel.

Henry Robinson, a bartender, for Thomas Doyle, arrested last night on complaint of John Reynolds, of the Sauer's saloon, posted a $10 bond for his appearance before the mayor this afternoon The case will be called at two o'clock, unless the bond is forfeited

Reynolds claims that Robinson struck him following a quarrel over Reynolds' wife, who is Robinson's sister Robinson went to the Reynolds' home to upbraid the husband for abusing his sister, and the quarrel followed.

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Extra Special Value

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Splendid suits, made of Bedford cords, serges, eponge, mixtures and diagonals; copies of foreign models, modified to meet with the American idea; linings are of silk; skirts are the new draped models. Every suit is a masterpiece; made on correct lines, splendidly constructed and will fit perfectly. In fact, here are the right kind of suits: suits you will like at a price far less than you would pay if you bought elsewhere.

Silk Dresses

Unusually Good Values

$13.50 and $15

Another Event That Stamps This Store as the Leader in Its Respective Lines.

There are more than 35 styles of beautiful silk dresses, including messalines, surah stripes, charmeuse, crepe de cygne; all of the very highest type. They are trimmed with handsome laces and materials, in Bulgarian colors. Some of the styles are low necks and short sleeves; others have dainty lace yokes and long sleeves.

Our Optical Dep't Steadily Grows in Popularity

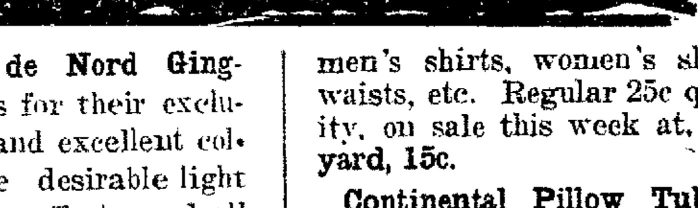
The reputation of our Mr. John W. Kenaga as an unusually clever optometrist is getting noised about, as the rapidly increasing patronage of this department of the Big Store readily testifies.

Not only does our equipment include all the latest appliances for testing the eyes, but we guarantee every piece of work for one year. Work not satisfactory, if returned within this period, will be cheerfully made good.

Don't wait until you are blind before consulting an optometrist. Come to the Big Store Now. Prices moderate.

New Spring Wash Fabrics Are Here

They surpass in beauty any we have ever offered. We have them in the daintiest of the season's fashionable shades and colors—the most beautiful of designs. The color combinations are fascinating indeed. Every weave upon which fashion has set the seal of approval is here. Come and make your selection before the lines are broken.



New Toil de Nord Ginghams, famous for their exclusive designs and excellent color work; the desirable light blue and tan effects, and all plain shades; 50 different styles, **at 12½c.**

Imported Chambrays in 32 inch width, shown in all the plain colors; small checks and the new 1-and-1 stripes, in all the wanted shades, **at 12½c.**

Spring Percales—Manchester Percales in the new Spring designs. Plenty of black and white effects as well as navy cadet, grey and garnet grounds; full 36 inch width, at **12½c.**

Shirting Madras, 32 and 36 inch width, woven stripe and jacquard, with small printed effects in stripes and figures; splendid for boys' waists men's shirts, women's shirtwaists, etc. Regular 25c quality, on sale this week at, per **yard, 15c.**

Continental Pillow Tubing in 42 and 45 inch width, full bleached, 20c and 22c values, on sale this week at, **per yard, 17c.**

White Pique, heavy welt, 36 inch width, splendid fabric for skirts, regular 40c value, on sale this week **at 25c.**

New Fabrics Opened This Week.

Woven Stripe Crepes	18c
Silk Stripe Crepes	29c
Plain Ratine	25c
Plain Poplins	25c
Silk Stripe Poplins	25c
Silk Crepe Stripe Poplins	39c
36 in. Ratine, white and colors	85c and $1.00
Silk Stripe Voiles	29c and 39c
Serpentine Crepes	18c

Hard to Find a Hat You Like ?

Come to Miss Girard, the head of the Big Store Millinery Department. The ability to select a becoming hat for every patron is rare indeed, but Miss Girard has it to perfection.

The Big Store hats this Spring have set Lima fashionables agog with interest and admiration. "Distinctive," "New Yorky," "how beautifully chic"—these are some of the exclamations we hear daily. "How moderate in price," might well be added. Come and see for yourself.

LIMA POST-OFFICE FEELS FLOOD EFFECT

Clerks and Carriers Forced to Work Overtime to Care For Many Sacks of Mail.

The carriers and clerks at the postoffice are just beginning to see their way clear through the heavy pouches and sacks of mail which have flooded the Lima postoffice since Saturday night and Sunday It was a novelty and of interest to notice the big mail trains on the Erie, Pennsylvania and other roads entering Lima, dumping off several truck of mail mater from every train Sunday.

The employes of the office were busier this week than during the rush of holiday week At that time, special pains are always maintained to care for the rush, but in this case, it was a hard matter to cope with the conjestion From ever point on the compass came the sacks until the Lima office was fairly deluged with mail.

Letters written early last week started on their journey, caught in the floods of the middle of the week, are now reaching their destination. The carriers have looked like Santa Claus in holiday week, so heavy have become their packs

Postmaster Gale anticipates his force of men will be able to clear up the heavy rush of business today and that henceforth the receipts and delivery will be made, as usual.

GEORGE LAYTON IMPROVED

George Layton, of 776 south Atlantic avenue, was taken to the city hospital at about midnight Monday suffering from a severe fracture of stomach trouble. His condition was reported to be much improved today and hospital attaches say that he is in no immediate danger.

BURGETT-SWAN CASE READY FOR THE JURY

After the hearing of several witnesses in the case of Oliver Burgett against Dr Edwin A Swan, the defense rested its case this morning and the attorneys' arguments were begun. It is thought that the case will be in the hands of the jury before the closing of court

Burgett alleges that through electrical treatments administered to his wife she was permanently injured and he asks $5,300 damages. The defense holds that the injury was done by Mrs Burgett through the use of other instruments than those which Dr Swan used.

The court room had been thronged with the morbidly curious since the beginning of the trial.

DEPUTY INSPECTOR IS IN LIMA TODAY

Julius Spengler, of Defiance deputy state inspector of workshops and factories, is in Lima today on his periodical tour of inspection In company with Fire Chief Mack, he visited the south Pine street school building this morning where changes will have to be made in the location of the fire escapes to comply with the state regulations

FREE FREE FREE

The Arcade Art store, located between Bluem's and Morris Bros on N Main street, wishes to announce the opening of their new store on Wednesday, April 2nd Owing to our inability to find rooms to our satisfaction at an earlier date we were unable to advert'se, therefore on this evening preceding the opening between the hours of seven and eight we are offering to prospective patrons free souvenirs which we know cannot fail to assure us the future patronage of all receiving them.

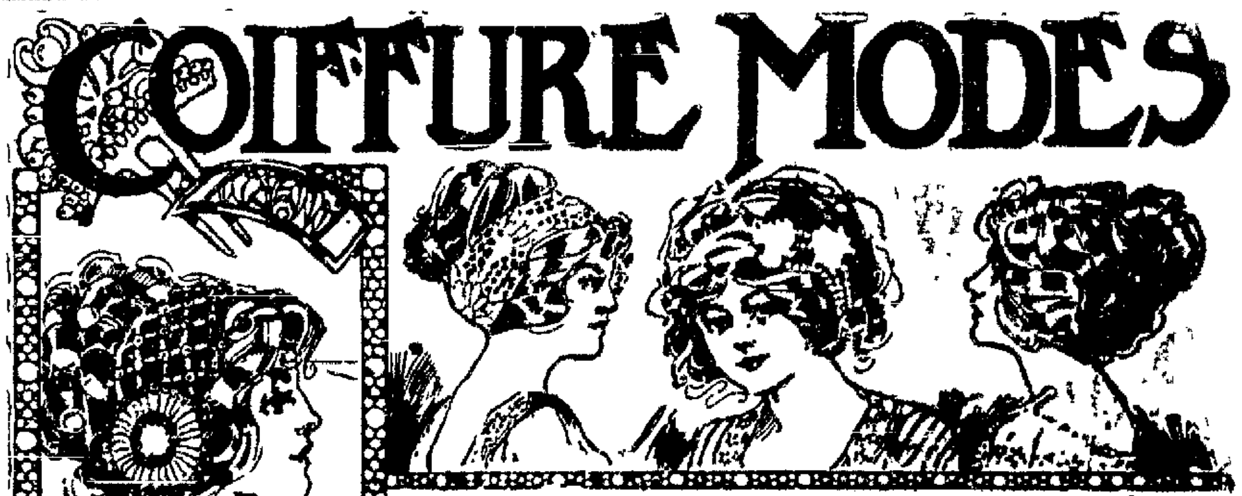
"HEART-TO-HEART" TALKS WITH PRESS, IS WILSON'S POLICY.

Washington, April 1 —Convinced that public business would be expedited by the practice, President Wilson has decided to set aside two hours each week for "heart-to-heart" talks with the newspaper correspondents One hour will be devoted to the writers each Tuesday morning and another hour will be given over to the same purpose Thursday afternoons The president will discuss administration policies and sketch his official programs, much of the matter discussed necessarily being in confidence and solely for the guidance of the writers

BLAME IT ON ORTIE.

Muncie, Ind., April 1—Thirty quarts of nitroglycerine believed to have been buried by Ortie E. McManigal, confessed dynamiter, have been unearthed near here by the flood waters of the White river They were found yesterday along the Boyce road near the Lake Erie and Western railroad bridge east of the city.

COIFFURE MODES



Wear Your Hair In Style

The attractive small hats which are so fashionable this season require an entirely different mode of hair dressing to make them appear at their best. Lima ladies will be interested in knowing that Miss Snyder's demonstration of

New Spring Styles in Hair Dressing

will be continued for one more week, during which time you will have a splendid opportunity of obtaining just the right type of switch, transformation or psyche to make your coiffure thoroughly up-to-date. All our hair goods are the finest Convent Hair—as soft and silky as your own. We match any shade including all grays and rare blondes. Note these special prices for the current week.

		Stemless Switches	
$2.00 Switches	98c	$9.00 Switches	$5.00
$3.00 Switches	$1.50	$11.00 Switches	$6.50
$5.00 Switches	$2.75	$15.00 Switches	$8.00
$9.00 Switches	$4.50	$25.00 Switches	$15.00
$12.00 Switches	$6.50		

THE NEWSON-HAWISHER COMPANY — THE BIG STORE

CHILDREN OF LIMA MUCH INTERESTED

Application for gardens from 649 children of the city have been received by the Civic league to date and it is expected that many more will be received before Friday evening when the final report will be made at a meeting to be held at the library at 7 o'clock, Friday evening. The meeting is the monthly business meeting

Members of the league are now visiting the homes of the children from whom the applications have been received to ascertain whether or not the child can have the garden before the application is accepted

CHICKEN COOP WAS DESTROYED

Fifteen Chickens Perished in Fire in Rear of House on North Elizabeth Last Night.

The north side fire department responded to a still alarm sent in from the residence of E A Hastings at 656 north Elizabeth street at 10.25 o'clock last night A chicken coop in the rear of the house caught fire in some mysterious manner, and the coop containing fifteen chickens was completely destroyed No other damage was done, as the firemen prevented a spread of the flames to the adjoining buildings.

The residence, which is owned by Mike Doyle, was not damaged in the slightest.

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THE WEATHER.

Columbus, O., April 1.—Forecast: Fair tonight and probably Wednesday. Slowly rising temperature.

Governor Cox estimates the loss in Ohio from last week's flood at three hundred millions of dollars.

The believers in the theory that 13 is an unlucky number will point with pride to the fact that last week was the thirteenth of the year 1913.

BRYAN'S MESSAGE FROM WILSON.

A message from the president was looked for through Mr. Bryan by members of the Illinois legislature when he addressed them last week. He gave them one. It wasn't a secret message, though, nor in any way concealed. Warning the legislature that he "came with no secret message from the executive," for "the president represents the idea of publicity in politics," Mr. Bryan delivered a message worth remembering. It was this:

If there are any men in this legislature who are governed by any other purpose than the purpose that actuates the statesman, I shall not attempt to deal with them or to characterize them except to say that if there is any man in this legislature, a member of any party, who would use his vote to advance a special interest through secret methods, if that is his purpose, he would better do all he can now, for the day will soon be past when those men will be permitted to capitalize power and use the government for this purpose. The day was when men met and parceled out the advantages of government, when men met in the lobby the representatives of predatory interests and made contracts grow in the dark. A new day has dawned, thank God, in our nation, and the friends of light are governing, and the ones who hide their evil deeds beneath the cover of darkness are passing to the rear.

FLOOD PREVENTION AND RIVER REGULATION.

The appalling flood catastrophe which has just befallen the people of the Ohio river valley, emphasizes with striking and irresistible force the urgent and imperative necessity of the national legislation embodied in the Newlands river regulation bill, which would give the Ohio river watershed not less than $5,000,000 annually for ten years supplementary to all other appropriations.

The prompt passage of that bill by congress affords the most complete and perfect system for the working out of protective measures for the future that human ingenuity could devise.

First—It creates a national board, composed of the heads of the great bureaus of the national government whose duty it is to immediately prepare complete and comprehensive plans for flood protection and prevention in the future, in the country so recently devasted, and provides that these plans shall cover and define the respective spheres of action of the nation, state and local municipalities, and outline the work to be done by each respectively.

Second—It provides all the money necessary for the making of such a plan and report, fully, comprehensively and comparatively, without the delays and uncertainties of congressional action.

Third—It appropriates in advance the money necessary for completely constructing whatever portion of the work it is determined should be done by the national government.

Fourth—It is made the duty of the national board to earnestly labor to bring about complete co-operation and constructive action by all state, municipal and local agencies, whose co-operation is necessary for the construction of complete works of relief and protection for the future.

Fifth—And last but not least—because this point, in the last analysis, is the most important of all—It furnishes the necessary strong and forceful initiative which will bring into immediate action and co-operation all local agencies, states and municipalities, which would otherwise lack this most essential element of quick action and the machinery of co-operation and co-ordination between the different agencies and forces that must be enlisted in the work.

WHY BEEF IS HIGH.

To the many people who have been concerned about the high cost of living, particularly as to the excessive cost of beef, the following explanation offered will prove interesting:

The decrease in the meat supply available for exportation is sharply illustrated by the February export figures just compiled by the statistical division of the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce. They show the number of cattle exported in the eight months ended with February 1913, but 12,656 head, against 270,219 head in the corresponding months of 1907, and the quantity of fresh beef exported but 4,709,047 pounds, against 175,806,649 pounds in the corresponding months of 1907. That this shortage in the exportations is due in part at least to an actual reduction in the total number of cattle in the United States is evidenced by the fact that the total number of cattle on farms, according to figures of the department of agriculture, was on January 1, 1913, but 56,527,000, against 72,543,000 on January 1, 1907. Still another evidence of the demand in the United States for an increase in its cattle supply is found in the figures of the department of commerce, which shows an enormous increase in the importation of cattle, the number imported into the United States in the eight months ended with February 1913, being 262,000 head, against 12,000 head in the corresponding months of 1907.

Chinese Memorial Arches.

The p'ai-lous, or memorial arches of China, says Frederick McCormick, in the National Geographic Magazine, rival the pagodas in grace, beauty and numbers. Many of them are erected to commemorate the devotion of virtuous widows who refuse to remarry. The fabled phoenix, which never changes its mate, is prominent in the decoration of these arches.

USE OF OIL AS WARSHIP FUEL.

Expect to Use 30,000,000 Gallons During 1914 Fiscal Year.

Washington.—Naval officials estimate that at the end of the present fiscal year 20,000,000 gallons of fuel oil will have been consumed in naval vessels or 6,000,000 gallons more than were used last year, and more than three times the amount used in 1911.

These figures are considered important as indicating that the amount to be consumed during the fiscal year 1914 will reach a total of 30,000,000 gallons, or an increase of 500 per cent in three years. Already six battleships and twenty destroyers are burning oil and this number will be increased by two battleships and eight destroyers next year.

In addition to the many advantages which naval experts claim for oil as fuel, it is pointed out that America is the only nation in the world with an almost inexhaustible supply.

Million in Gold by Dog Sleds.

Seattle.—More than a million dollars in gold was brought down by the steamer Mariposa from Cordova, Alaska, having been more than two months in transit from the Iditarod district. From Iditarod to Chitina, more than 2,000 miles, the gold was hauled on dog sleds. At Chitina it was placed on a train and caught between two snow slides that tied up traffic more than a month. During that time the express company's guards, heavily armed, watched over the treasure.

President Wilson has appointed a commission of seven men prominent in the agricultural field to conduct in Europe an investigation of agricultural credit systems and co-operative organizations among the farmers of those countries.

The men appointed by President Wilson are: Senator Fletcher, of Florida, president of the Southern Commercial Congress; Senator Gore, of Oklahoma, chairman of the senate agricultural committee under the new senate organization; Congressman Moss, of Indiana, chairman of the agricultural appropriation committee of the house; Dr. Clarence J. Owens, of Maryland, managing director of the southern commercial congress, and formerly president of the southeastern agricultural college of Alabama; Kenyon L. Butterfield, of Massachusetts, president of Amherst College, and a leader in agricultural development work; Dr. John Lee Coulter, of Minnesota, the government's expert on agricultural statistics; and Col. Harvie Jorden, of Georgia, president of the southern cotton growers' association, and former president of the national farmers' congress.

This commission will co-operate with the American commission on co-operative credit, organized by the southern congress, which will visit Europe this spring. Both houses of congress have approved the efforts of the southern commercial congress and the action of President Wilson today in appointing government commissioners to co-operate with the southern commercial congress' commission is the final step giving the American commission the status of a semi-official body. Upon its return from Europe the commission is directed by congress to submit a report on agricultural co-operation, particularly on co-operative credit systems. The southern commercial congress now has all but 12 states, as well as four of the Canadian provinces, represented on its commission, so that it will be representative of the nation as well through the state delegates as through the federal commissioners. The seven men appointed today will represent the United States at the general assembly of the international institute of agriculture at Rome, Italy, next May.

DUCKS THE MARRIAGE.

Bridegroom to Be Hides In Haystack For Thirty-six Hours.

Springfield, Ill.—After having remained in concealment in a haystack near his home for thirty-six hours and having been mourned as dead, after searchers had scoured the country for him, Medford Cruikshank, who mysteriously disappeared on the eve of his wedding to Miss Mae Hall, appeared at his home south of this city.

He says he can remember nothing. It is believed he suffered temporary mental aberration, due to worry over imaginary physical ills. His fiancee received him with joy.

Friendship.

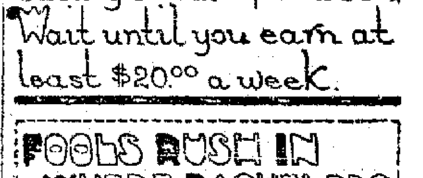
To contract ties of friendship with anyone is to contract friendship with his virtue.—Confucius.

WELLMAN'S KOMIK KOLUM.

LOVERS' ROOST

Dear Editer—
I am a young gurl 34 years old, and I am earnin twelve dollers a weak. I have a good chance to get marrid. What would you do?
MARY

OUR ANSWER:—
We would strongly advise you not to marry on a salary of $12.00 per week. Wait until you earn at least $20.00 a week.



DID YOU KNOW—
THAT GEORGE WASHINGTON NEVER RODE IN AN AUTOMOBILE?
THAT EVE NEVER COULD TOLERATE HOBBLE SKIRTS?
THAT ABRAHAM LINCOLN NEVER SPENT A DIME TO SEE THE 'MOVIES'?
THAT JONAH DIDN'T CARE FOR FISH?

PA'S ERROR

SUFFERED AWFUL PAINS

For Sixteen Years. Restored To Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Moretown, Vermont.—"I was troubled with pains and irregularities for sixteen years, and was thin, weak and nervous. When I would lie down it would seem as if I was going right down out of sight into some dark hole, and the window curtains had faces that would peek out at me, and when I was out of doors it would seem as if something was going to happen. My blood was poor, my circulation was so bad I would be like a dead person at times. I had female weakness badly, my abdomen was sore and I had awful pains.

"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and used the Sanative Wash and they certainly did wonders for me. My troubles disappeared and I am able to work hard every day."—Mrs. W. F. SAWYER, River View Farm, Moretown, Vermont.

Another Case.

Gifford, Iowa.—"I was troubled with female weakness, also with displacement. I had very severe and steady headache, also pain in back and was very thin and tired all the time. I commenced taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I am cured of these troubles. I cannot praise your medicine too highly."—Mrs. INA MILLSLAGLE, Gifford, Iowa.

THE PARAGRAPHERS.

Paying No Attention.

The engineer doesn't even toot his whistle when the train whizzes past Armageddon now.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Superfluous Opinion.

Simply because this is a country of free opinion there is no use of having so many fool opinions.—Atchison Globe.

Why People Fail.

It takes some people so long to be sure they are right that they never get time to go ahead.—St. Paul Press.

In the Tall Timber.

"There's no sorrow, no unhappiness, no worry in the woods," says a nature writer. No wonder people take to 'em.—Denver Republican.

Harry Chose the Wrong Calaboose.

When Harry Thaw ponders the cases of Morse and Heike he must regret that he, too, didn't do something to put himself in reach of the federal pardoning power.—New York Tribune.

A Pathetic Feature.

Another pathetic little feature of every life is the way a nice old man will get his pension raised to $72 a month and then imagine that some sweet young girl loves him for himself alone.—Ohio State Journal.

Many Sad Premature Deaths.

Some one has figured out that the life of a $10 bill is about ten months, which may be a pretty fair average, but we know personally of a number that have died mighty sudden deaths.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Feet So Sore Couldn't Walk Down Stairs

TIZ Cured Her Quick.
Send at Once for Free Trial Package

If you have sore feet, tired feet, sweaty feet, lame feet, tender feet, smelly feet, corns, calluses or bunions, read what happened to Mrs. Crockett, of Jeffersonville. TIZ did it. Mr. Crockett says: "After the second treatment she walked downstairs one foot at a time. She had not been able to walk downstairs before in past five years; except by stepping down on each step with one foot at a time. This is remarkable. Send five more boxes."

No matter what ails your feet or what under heaven you have used without getting relief, just use TIZ. It's the only foot remedy ever made which acts on the principle of drawing out all the poisonous exudations which cause sore feet. Powders and other remedies merely clog up the pores. TIZ cleans them out and keeps them clean. You will feel better the first time it's used. Use it a week and you can forget you ever had sore feet. There is nothing on earth that can compare with it. If anyone offers you an imitation that is claimed to be "as good as TIZ," ask, why if it is just as good, they don't dare to come out and advertize it. Don't you be a victim—get the genuine. TIZ is for sale at all drug stores, department and general stores, 25c per box, or direct, if you wish. Money back if TIZ doesn't do all we say. For a free trial package write today to Walter Luther Dodge & Co., Chicago, Ill.

KING GEORGE HAD STIRRING REIGN

From Masthead to Throne When Only Eighteen.

NEW RULER IS POPULAR.

Constantine, After Being Forced to Leave Athens in 1909 by Military League, Returned and Led Army to Victory in Last Balkan War—Would Be Hellenic Emperor.

Saloniki.—King George of Greece, who was assassinated here by a degenerate named Schinas, was literally taken from the masthead of a Danish cruiser and elevated to the proud position of king of the Hellenes.

That was in 1863. The years that followed were crowded with more of incident and adventure than fall to the lot of most modern monarchs.

George's family name is Holstein-Glucksburg. He was the second son of Prince Christian of Schleswig-Holstein-Sonderburg-Glucksburg, who afterward became king of Denmark. The young prince was named Christian William Ferdinand Adolphus George and as such entered the naval service of Denmark. He had made two cruises and was about to start on a third when a revolution broke out in Greece.

Within three days King Otto of Greece, a Bavarian, had lost the throne he had occupied for thirty years. It became necessary for the European powers to find a substitute.

It looked as if the throne might go begging when the powers offered it to Prince William, still a boy in his teens, of whose existence, perhaps, not one in a thousand of his future subjects was aware.

It was necessary for the Greek national assembly to go through the formality of electing the nominee of the powers. This was done at Athens on March 18, 1863.

CONSTANTINE, THE NEW KING OF GREECE.

The early years of the reign of this alien monarch were peaceful. In 1867 he married Olga Constantinowa, eldest daughter of the Grand Duke Constantine, brother of Czar Alexander of Russia, thereby strengthening the position of Greece and enhancing his own popularity.

Quarrels of political factions and official corruption soon involved the nation in difficulties, for which the king was held responsible. War with Turkey was clamored for in 1876 and again ten years later, and it was only the firm attitude of the king and the backing of the powers which prevented Greece rushing into a conflict for which she was not prepared.

When war finally came in 1897 it was demonstrated that the king had acted wisely. The conflict soon ended in disaster to the Grecian arms, and Turkish reprisals would have been heavy had not the powers enforced terms of peace that favored the vanquished rather than the victors.

Before the war King George had been perhaps the most hated man in Greece. An attempt had been made to assassinate him while he was driving with his daughter.

The successes of the present war had restored the popularity of the king and all his family. He and the crown prince had brought the Greek army to a state of great efficiency. The capture of Janina with its garrison of 32,000 men was the climax of a brilliant campaign.

The king left seven children, five sons and two daughters. They are Constantine, Duke of Sparta, who now succeeds to the throne; Alexandra, who was married to Grand Duke Paul Alexandrovitch of Russia; George, Nicholas, Marie, Andrew and Christopher.

Constantine, the new king, was born in Athens and received his early education from foreign tutors, who taught him to speak German, English, Latin, French and Danish. At the age of eighteen he was graduated from the military academy, with the rank of sublieutenant in the army.

Until the war with Turkey in 1897 he had had little military experience aside from participating in the annual military maneuvers of the German army, but he was considered a thoughtful, cautious leader and enjoyed the implicit confidence of his troops.

When the crown prince in 1896 saw his country drifting into war with Turkey he warned the war department at Athens that the army was utterly unprepared for a campaign. The infantry was armed with condemned French rifles, which had cost $2 each; the cartridges were fifteen years old, there was no cavalry, the artillery was obsolete and its officers few, and there had been insufficient drill. Nevertheless the country decided upon war. The result was disastrous—a humiliating defeat for Greece. Immediately the popular tide turned against its rulers, whom it denounced as foreigners who could have little in common with the Greeks. The king and queen were hooted in the streets, and the officers turned their backs upon the crown prince.

A similar spirit was roused against the royal house when in 1909 King George tried to oppose the popular clamor for the annexation of Crete, knowing that Turkey was eagerly awaiting such an excuse to bring a second crushing defeat upon Greece. This time the clamor almost became a revolt, and the king was obliged to yield to the demand of the Military league, both for the reorganization of the army and for the dismissal of the crown prince as generalissimo and of his brothers from active commands in the army and navy.

The crown prince left Athens. But two weeks after he had issued orders for the removal of his belongings from Athens to St. Petersburg, where he was to accept a command in the army of the czar, the tide turned again, and he was notified by his father to come back. Three months later Constantine returned to Greece on the invitation of the national assembly and the municipality of Athens, where he was received with great acclaim.

He was restored to his former dignities, and after having undergone a severe trial was raised to the command of the army, with added prestige and influence. At the outbreak of the present war in the Balkans he led the advancing Greek forces and captured the city of Saloniki from the Turks. With a force of 10,000 Greeks he caused 25,000 Turks to lay down their arms. His popularity from that time has been tremendous throughout Greece.

It is said that Constantine aims to restore the former grandeur of the ancient Hellenic empire and that he is a believer in the old national prophecy that under the reign of a Constantine and a Sophia the eastern empire shall be called into life again and the cross restored on St. Sophia in place of the crescent.

The crown prince's wife is Princess Sophia, a sister of the German emperor. Their marriage on Oct. 27, 1889, was a most spectacular event and was attended by the kaiser and members of the royal families of every court in Europe. Soon afterward Princess Sophia renounced her Lutheran religion and took that of her husband, thereby deeply offending her brother, the German emperor.

Prince Constantine, like his father and his brother, Prince George, is of herculean stature, more than six feet tall and magnificently proportioned. He has three children, Alexander, George and Helen.

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Have you tried all the advertised skin remedies without success? Have you sought medical treatment in vain? And you still suffer from that irritating itch, that horrible, unsightly skin disease?

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Cane Sugar 25 lb. bag. $1.23		Corn Four Cans . . . 25c	
Flour, large sack	$1.40	Graham Wafers, 50 for	10c
Flour, small sack	70c	Ginger Snaps, lb.	7½c
Corn Meal, sack	10c	Oat Meal, 3 lb.	10c
Gas Globes, each	5c	Soup Beans, lb.	5c
Spaghetti, package	7½c	Cranberries, quart	5c
Macaroni, package	7½c	A Good Broom	25c
Apple Butter, 4 lb. jar	25c	Honey, cake	17c
Salmon, tall can	9c	Kidney Beans, 3 cans	25c
Salmon, fancy red	17c	Peas, 3 cans	25c
Olives, pint jar	15c	String Beans, 3 cans	25c
Catsup, bottle	5c	Hominy, 3 cans	25c
Oranges, sweet, dozen	15c	Pumpkin, 3 cans	25c
Pears, can	10c	Baked Beans, 3 cans	25c
Lima Beans, lb.	9c	Tomatoes, 2 cans	25c
Pitted Cherries, can	15c	Apricots, can	15c
Mackerel, each	5c	Hominy, 3 lbs.	10c
Fig Bar, lb.	10c	Rolled Oats, 3 packages	25c
		Evaporated Raspberries, lb.	25c
Apple Butter Pound . . . 9c		Kraut Pound 2c	

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IN PRISON 41 YEARS; TO START NEW LIFE

Abe Buzzard, Outlaw-Evangelist, Free at Sixty-one.

Philadelphia.—Forty-one of his sixty-one years having been spent behind prison bars, Abe Buzzard, the notorious outlaw-evangelist, has been released from the Eastern penitentiary.

Speaking of his Jekyll and Hyde career, Buzzard says:

"The world owed me a good living, and I collected the debt the best that I knew how. I was not used right the first time I was arrested, and had I not been blamed for crimes I never committed I would never have resorted to the life that I have led.

"I am converted now and realize that it does not pay to think that you are going to get away with the kind of stuff that I used to pull. I'm going to shake the dust of Pennsylvania from my feet and go to the Pacific coast. I've learned to be a cobbler, and I'm going into the shoe business where no one will know me and where I will have a chance to start life over again."

Buzzard began stealing at the age of fifteen, when he and three brothers organized a gang to raid farms in the Welch mountains. When twenty he began serving a ten year term in Lancaster county. He broke out of jail and was recaptured several months later.

After serving several other sentences he was released from Cherry Hill in 1901. Then it was he professed reformation and began preaching. He did his evangelistic work during the day and stole poultry at night. In the course of a few months he stole 1,800 chickens and 7,500 turkeys from the farmers in and about Reading and Lancaster.

Close Season For Frogs.

Madison, Wis.—A plan to forbid the eating of frogs in Wisconsin for ten years, to prevent their being killed or captured, has been introduced by Assemblyman Newton Spoor of Green Lake county, who says that last year's plague of mosquitoes in Wisconsin is largely due to the manner in which the frogs have been killed off.

"My little son had a very severe cold. I was recommended to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and before a small bottle was finished he was as well as ever," writes Mrs. H. Silks, 29 Dowling street, Sydney, Australia. This remedy is for sale by all dealers.

MENELIK'S WIFE AGAIN AT LIBERTY.

Remarkable Rise of Abyssinian Empress, Taitou.

Addis Abeba, Abyssinia.—After three years of detention in Ghebbi Empress Taitou, the wife of King Menelik, has been granted her freedom. The rightful heir to the throne has also been granted his freedom.

The empress' domain will be in the vicinity of Addis Abeba.

Empress Taitou of Abyssinia was a very interesting character, according to what information has been learned about her. Details of affairs in the African empire have been difficult to obtain and even today Europe is not quite sure whether Emperor Menelik is dead or alive and still ruling his country. It is known definitely that the heir to the throne has been designated in the person of Lig Yassu, the grandson of Empress Taitou, but whether he has taken up the reins of government is yet to be ascertained.

Empress Taitou, according to a Frenchman who journeyed through Abyssinia some years ago, was a woman of the lower class, as they place rank in Abyssinia, and she was married at an early age. Following that she was married many more times, and at each stage of her matrimonial career rose higher.

In 1885, when the coming empress was about thirty-two years old, she married Menelik, then a king. She was a wonderful woman, and her ability was recognized. Besides, she was counted as a beauty.

Later Menelik rose to the supreme step of emperor, and Taitou rose with him.

Menelik fell ill at one time—in fact one of the many times that he has been ill—and while Taitou cared for him like a dutiful wife she carried on at the same time a conspiracy, the aim of which was to place her on the throne upon the death of her husband. But many circumstances operated against the empress, and she was driven from the Abyssinian capital, Addis Abeba. Menelik recovered, and Taitou's grandson, Lig Yassu, whom she heartily hated, was proclaimed heir.

Rare "Breeches" Bible.

A "breeches" Bible, dated 1601, was recently bequeathed by Dr. William P. G. Black of Dublin to his brother, the Rev. Gibson J. H. M. Black. This is the translation in which Adam and Eve are described as making themselves "breeches" of figleaves. The authorized version uses the word "aprons."

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CIVIC RULES AS LAID DOWN

Contain Enough Hints to Keep Any Good Pupil Busy at Work.

ARBOR DAY TO BE BIG CLEAN-UP DAY

And Social Centers for the School Buildings Are Urged.

Some rules laid down by an interested civic worker, are herewith appended and has enough hints in it to keep any good pupil in practical civics busy at work. Men and women, boys and girls, can all learn with profit to themselves and their towns, from these suggestions.

The following is the complete list.

Aim to make Arbor Day annual "clean-up" day.

Banish the tin-can district from your city.

Clean up back yards and alleys.

Destroy rubbish by burning.

Educate housewives to demand clean markets.

Fine every club member who does not work.

Give free lectures upon civic improvement.

Have campaigns against unsightly billboards.

Interest city authorities in "clean-up" day.

Join all forces for the anti-dirt crusade.

Kill sidewalk spitting or it will kill you.

Let your slogan be: "Do it for Home, Sweet Home."

Make requests of preachers for "clean-up" sermons.

Next to godliness is cleanliness.

Organize the children into civic leagues.

Plant trees, and then plant trees, and plant more trees.

Question authorities about city expenditures.

Remember to plan parks and playgrounds now.

Study city ordinances and work for their enforcement.

Try to make the school buildings social centers.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

Orders taken for all kinds of hand crochet work, coat sets, table runners, bed spreads. The Ladies' Shop, 203 west High street. 6-3t

Basket Ball
White Stars vs. Findlay; Auditorium; Tuesday, April 1st. 6-2t

BECOMES ASSISTANT AT THE CATHEDRAL

Rev. Thomas Kennedy Begins His Religious Duties Under Bishop Joseph Schrembs.

Rev. Thomas Kennedy, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kennedy, of 424 west McKibben street, who was ordained to the priest hood Saturday, March 6, has been appointed assistant at the cathedral in Toledo, by Bishop Joseph Schrembs, who ordained him.

Rev. Kennedy is a Lima young man, his life having been spent here up to the time he attended college to prepare for the priesthood.

Rev. Kennedy was ordained in St. Francis De Sales' cathedral in Toledo. He was assistant master of ceremonies when eight young women received the white veil and habit of the Ursuline order at Sacred Heart convent in Toledo, later.

Miss Mary Kreitenmyer, of Fort Jennings, was one of the novices who took the veil. She will be known in religious life as Sister Mary Wilhelmina.

Dr. R. I. Kinnane was master of these ceremonies and 15 prieses assisted in the sanctuary.

SINKING FUND TRUSTEES MEET.

Twenty-three thousand dollars for bonds and interest were disbursed at the regular monthly meeting of the board of sinking fund trustees at the office of City Auditor Simpson yesterday afternoon. Trustees Kalb, Spyker and Roush were present, with Napier the only absentee. He is in the south at the present time.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

BIG MEETING CANCELLED

Methodists of the Cincinnati Districts Unable to Reach Lima.

GATHERING TO BE HELD COMING FALL

Means Assembling of Many Prominent Men of the Country.

Genuine regret will come to Methodists all over the western part of the state when announcement, made this morning that the big meeting scheduled for next week, will not be held, is known. It was to have been a pre-conference gathering of Methodists of the Central Ohio and Cincinnati districts and special stress was to be laid upon the purpose of benevolences.

On account practically the entire Cincinnati district is submerged in water and has suffered great loss, it has been decided to cancel the meeting, which will likely be arranged for the fall before the annual conference is held.

Action taken last year, merged the two conferences and the meeting, scheduled for Lima, was a getting-together before this next annual meeting. Rev. H. J. Jewett, pastor of Grace Methodist church, who was secretary of the convention, had prepared, through his assistants, one of the most splendid programs ever to be given before a body, similarly constituted.

As a mark of sympathy also, it was decided just to postpone the convention, at this time. It would have brought hundreds of leading Methodists to the city and many dignitaries and bishops of this church, from all over the country.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Tomorrow's entertainment is for the benefit of flood victims. Empire theatre.

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A Special Value Sale all this week on Women's Tailored Suits, Women's New Spring Coats, Women's Dresses and Misses' New Spring Coats

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All sizes and all colors in Tailored Suits, made of Ratine, Eponge, Scotch Novelty, English Storm Serge and Whipcord—Styles, Balkan, cutaway, strictly tailored and Dressy Trimmed Suits.

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A Beautiful Line of Women's Coats for $17.50

The newest approved models of Women's New Spring Coats of English Plaid, Dice Check, Bedford Cord, Sponge Cloth and Diagonals in the draped back, cutaway and straight line styles.

SPECIAL PRICE THIS WEEK, $17.50

An Attractive Value In Women's Dresses at $9.95

Women's Silk Dresses in black and white, navy and white check, trimmed with plain charmeuse on belt, collar and cuffs, crystal buttons fastened with silk cord loops.

SPECIAL PRICE THIS WEEK, $9.95

A Misses' Handsome Red Coat for $3.98

$5.00 quality, size 13 to 18, pretty Red Diagonal Cloth Coat with half belt, trimmed with blended plaid on cuffs and collar.

SPECIAL PRICE THIS WEEK, $3.98

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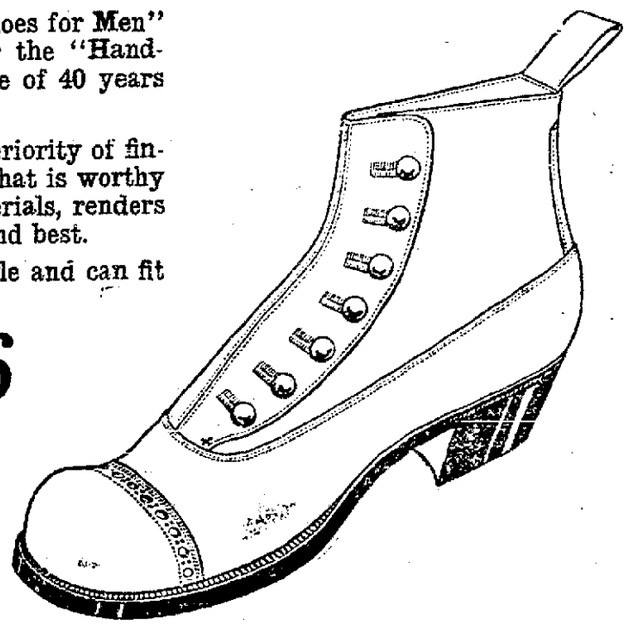

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FAMILY WITH DEAD HALTED IN FLOOD

Compelled to Remove Body From Train to Undertaking Establishment, and Seek Shelter.

Among the pathetic incidents which followed in the wake of the flood, none is more so than that which befell the family of John Lynch, of Spencerville. Mr. Lynch died quite suddenly and it was decided to take the body back to Pennsylvania for interment.

The family started over the Erie and were caught in the high waters which caused train service to be annulled, and they could not proceed. At Ashtabula they were forced to remain for several days, the body of the husband and father being conveyed to a mortuary parlor, while they sought shelter in a building, which was high and dry.

They were only able to proceed to their destination in Pennsylvania, Sunday. The funeral and burial was made in the Keystone state today, following Mr. Lynch's death, which occurred a week ago.

WILHELMINA:
Better use Gold Medal Flour. TOLAND.

GINGHAM IS ALIVE AND WELL.

Brother Locates Missing Brother and Family and Reports That They Are O. K.

Word has been received from J. R. Bingham, of 922 north Jefferson street, who went to Dayton, Sunday, in search of a missing brother, stating that the brother and his entire family were alive and well. The brother, Walter Bingham, is a former Lima resident, and until two months ago, resided with his wife and two children on north Jefferson street. He is a C., H. & D. trainman. Both men are sons of Mrs. L. C. Bingham, of north Jefferson street.

START ON CHANGES AT COUNTY CAPITOL

The changes necessary for the accommodation of the newly created court of appeals were begun yesterday at the court house. The upper court rooms will be altered.

The bench will be changed from the north to the south side of the room and a staircase will be built to the rooms now occupied by Judge Klinger. They will be used by the appellate judges as a consultation chamber. Several minor changes will be made, giving the judges private and complete access to the law library and the stenographer. The work is being done by Contractors Smith and Sherrick.

SOCIETY MEETING.

The Women's Missionary Society of the First United Brethren church will be entertained at the home of Mrs. J. H. Allen, 716 north West street, on April 2, at 2 p. m. The following is the program of the meeting:

Song.
Devotions—By Mrs. Poage.
Solo—By Mrs. J. B. Bovey.
Reading—By Mrs. G. S. Rinebolt.
Piano Solo—By Grace Roberts.
Business session.

NEW OFFICERS WILL BE INSTALLED

At the Regular Meeting of Lima Lodge of Elks on Thursday Evening of This Week.

The regular lodge meeting of Lima Lodge, No. 54, B. P. O. Elks, next Thursday evening, promises to be one of the most largely attended of the meetings of the past year, as upon that evening, the new exalted ruler and his corps of officers, elected one month ago, will be installed into office with imposing ceremonies.

After the installation, Sullivan will announce his appointments for the various positions and committees, and impart information of great interest to the lodge, outlining his policy for the coming year. An informal social session will follow the lodge proceedings.

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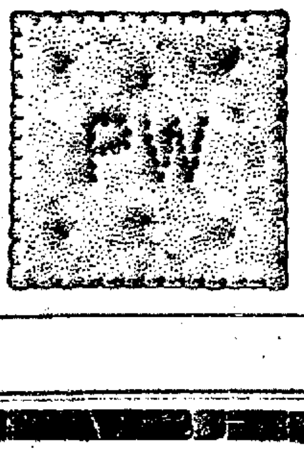

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News Items of Interest About Our Neighbors In Surrounding Towns

BEAVERDAM.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Oldaker, of Lima, were the Sunday guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alba Edgecomb.

Dewitt Bassett, of Tiffin, was the guest of his mother, Mrs. Mary Bassett and family, Sunday.

William McBride and son, Harry McBride, of Battle Creek, Mich., were the guests of the former's daughter, Mrs. T. R. Hamilton and family at Lima, Saturday.

Harry Beach, of Lima, was the guest of Miss Troas Weaver, Sunday.

"The Rainbow Kimono" which was given by the young ladies of the Queen Esther circle on Friday night was a success. The attendance was large and the society profited a neat sum. The players were very well adapted to their various parts.

Frank Cotner, of Lafayette, was here on business, Friday afternoon.

Mrs. J. S. Snodgrass left for Fremont Saturday morning, where she will spend a week with relatives.

Friends and relatives of Enos Lugibihl, of Dayton, have received word that he had escaped from the flood and is in Springfield at the present time.

Mrs. M. L. Young returned home Saturday evening from a ten days' visit with her daughter, Mrs. Earl Andrews, of Leipsic.

Mrs. F. D. Bowers and daughter, Tessie, were the guests of friends at Lima, Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. D. F. Russell and Mrs. Alstatt were the guests of friends at Lima, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Wetherill were the guests of friends at Lima, recently.

Mrs. Henry Lutterbein and Mr. Jay Lutterbein returned home Sunday from Findlay, where they were shut in last week by the high waters.

William Creps returned home Tuesday from Delphos, where he had been inspecting the American Telephone and Telegraph property during the flood.

Mrs. L. E. Bassett was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Nelson Bassett, of near Lima, Thursday.

Mrs. Harry Phroney, of Indianapolis, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Marshall.

Miss Alice Romey, of Lima, was the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Kate Hesser, Thursday.

S. V. Fisher, of Lima, spent Thursday with his wife who is visiting her mother, Mrs. D. S. Cotner, east of here.

Mrs. C. A. Marshall and her guests who are Mrs. Harvey Hoppus, of Toledo and Mrs. Harry Phroney, of Indianapolis, spent Wednesday with Mrs. John Adams, at Lima.

Clinton Coning transacted business at Lima, Friday for the Nelson Tile Drainage Co.

Dr. D. F. Russell and Mr. Alstatt returned home from Columbus, Thursday morning, where they had spent several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Lugibihl have returned to their home at Wapakoneta after spending the week with the latter's father, W. C. House.

Dr. Henderson, of Lafayette, was here on professional business, Friday.

Mrs. M. L. Smith and daughter, Ruth, of Ada, arrived Friday evening for a several days' visit with relatives.

Dr. F. M. Blair, of Harrod, was a visitor at the McKee farm southeast of here, Friday.

Miss Mary Parker was the guest of friends at Lima, Saturday.

Miss Hoda Hardesty, of Lima, was the Sunday guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hardesty.

G. W. Young is confined to his home on Main street, by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Weaver were the guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. Lafferty at Columbus Grove, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. William Burden were the guests of relatives at Lima, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kemph, of Lima, were the Sunday guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Patterson.

Miss Ruby Sawyer, who is attending the Ohio Normal university at Ada, arrived Friday morning for a several days' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Sawyer.

The services at the American Telephone and Telegraph offices was suspended several days on account of damage done to their wires by the recent flood and sleet storm. A force of men laid an emergency cable which will be used until the lines can be reconstructed.

L. F. Roberts transacted business in Lima, Saturday.

Mrs. Walter Stewart, of Lima, was the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Lucy Everett, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Weaver and son, Willis, of West Minster arrived Saturday for a short visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Weaver, west of here.

Harry McBride, of Battle Creek, Michigan, is spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William McBride.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Young were the Sunday guests of their daughter, Mrs. John Mort and husband, near Lima.

Misses Elizabeth and Rosetta Danner were the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Christ Danner.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dodge and children, of Columbus Grove, were guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McClure, Sunday.

Jesse Lewis transacted business at Lima, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Stoodt and Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Dodge were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Lenny, Sunday.

The Easter entertainment at the Methodist church was postponed Easter Sunday on account of the rainy weather and the program was given on Sunday morning before a large audience.

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BLUE LICK.

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard and daughters, May and Ethel, spent Sunday at Philo Bassett's.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Cahill and Florence Roush, of Lima, were the Sunday guests of J. K. Roush and wife.

Mrs. Ethel Jacobs of West Minster, spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Early.

Grandmother Roeder and Mrs. Emma Mason spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. David Byerly.

Harry Mack, of Oberlin college, is spending a few days with his parents Mr. and Mrs. John Mack.

John Weller and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Landes.

Amos Johnson and daughter, Mrs. Charles Mason, have been visiting in Illinois for the past ten days.

Mrs. G. A. Snyder and children, of Lafayette, were the guests of J. B. Driver's, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Driver, of Ft. Wayne, Ind., are visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Forest Early's, who recently came from Missouri, have moved into the Lydia Snell property.

Charles Stoodt and family of Beaverdam, spent Sunday at C. M. Lenney's.

Mrs. Anna Bassett, of Beaverdam, spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Nelson Bassett.

Mrs. J. C. Elliott, Mrs. I. W. Byerly and Mrs. Nelson Bassett spent last Friday at S. M. Burns', near Beaverdam, making arrangements for the "Golden wedding" to be held at their place, Wednesday, April 2nd.

Mrs. Maggie Crawford returned to her home in Lima Thursday, after spending a couple weeks with her parents, in Blue Lick.

Grandmother Byerly, C. G. Vore and family, D. S. Early and family, and I. W. Byerly and family were the guests of Rev. and Mrs. David Byerly and family, Sunday.

Charles First and family, of Lima, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Armentrout.

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ORPHEUM THEATRE.

The popularity of "In Frisky France" was evidenced last night when two big audiences roared with the comedians, admired the graceful dances and singing numbers of the beauty chorus and applauded the show as a whole. Frank Kelly and Milton Schuster, the chief comedians are old heads at the game and have a lot of new material.

No cleverer girls have been seen in tabloid anywhere this season and the chorus is strengthened by the dainty Lynne sisters and the Empress quartet. "Take Me to That Cabaret" and "You're My Babe" are sung to several encores, and those two favorites in ragtime, "Waiting for the Robert E. Lee" and "When That Midnight Choo-Choo Leaves for Alabam'" fairly take the house. It's an hour and a half of entertainment at the Orpheum creditable to high-priced comic opera. The engagement is for the entire week, with the usual popular-priced matinee daily.

LYRIC THEATRE.

"The Gamblers" as presented by the Barrett Players at the Lyric theatre last night attracted a large audience, who were exceedingly delighted with the excellent performance of this great drama by the Barrett Players. Seldom is the opportunity given theatre-goers to see high class dramas like "The Gamblers" at popular prices, and the people are not slow to take advantage of it. Every member of the company acquitted themselves in the highest artistic manner, the result being a performance that compares favorably with the high priced production seen at the Faurot last season. Scenic Artist Bray has painted some beautiful scenery for the play and nothing is left undone to make the play a decided success. "The Gamblers" tonight and Wednesday nights.

HOORAY FOR PATRICK!

Des Moines, Iowa, April 1.—Municipal elections in Iowa towns yesterday developed a number of surprises. Ottumwa with forty thousand inhabitants, elected Patrick Lenney, a switchman of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul road, as mayor.

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES.

Associated Charities will be at the Memorial hall Wednesday to give out clothing to all flood suffers in need.

NOTICE.

National Union will hold their regular meeting Thursday, April 3, at Donze hall, at 7:30 o'clock. All members and officers requested to be present.

R. N. SIFERD, Pres.

NOTICE.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Calvary Reformed church will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. J. Armstrong, 316 N. Pine strfeet, instead of with Mrs. Myers.

SPRECKLES SLATED.

Washington, April 1.—Rudolph Spreckels of San Francisco, is slated by President Wilson for appointment to a foreign diplomatic mission and is foremost among those in the president's consideration for ambassador to Germany.

Basket Ball

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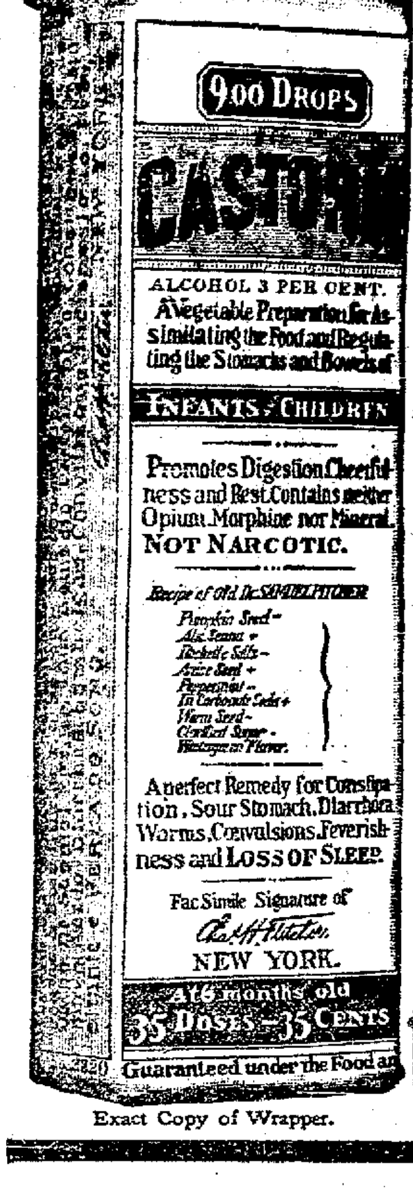

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Many Interesting Stories Are Related of J. P. Morgan

Great Financier Loomed Big as a Witness Before Pujo Hearing

How He Forced Bank to Renew Loans—How He Obtained Partner

WHATEVER we may think of J Pierpont Morgan, the New York multimillionaire, banker and financier, the t remains that for one man money wer he had both ancients and mod ns beaten to a frazzle, in the classic aguage of Theodore Roosevelt.

The spot light of public attention was cused directly upon Mr. Morgan in nnection with the sessions of the mous Pujo money trust hearing at ashington Mr. Morgan was called a witness, and his colossal power er financial affairs the country over is probed into by Samuel Untermy the adroit attorney for the senate mittee

nstead of seeking to evade questions d cover the facts as to his great oney deals, Mr Morgan answered inkly Though he disclaimed pos sing power to make or break other n who adventured in finance, it s made clear that not infrequently e prises he did not approve failed ir Morgan had nine lawyers serv him with advice before the com ttee and he paid them $62,500 ac ding to an authentic estimate The ornes did scarcely anything to do the hearing though they consulted h the financier for days in advance his testimony

ir Morgan who was a director fifty-eight corporations and held ough his New York firm 185 di orships with vast power, was born Hartford Conn, on April 17, 1837 was a strong, healthy boy, large his age and full of animal spirits the age of six he was sent to a atry school which then stood at junction of Farmington road and lum avenue, in Hartford This ool was known as the "west mid district school" and long since has en before the march of progress ew York

Nicknamed "Pip" at School.

hen he entered school the teacher ed on him to rise and give his full e so that he could be properly en ed as a pupil of the west middle rict school. At the call of the her young John rose to his feet. ty pairs of eyes were fixed on him. What is your full name?" asked the her of the embryonic magnate John Pierpont Morgan, sir," an red the lad in a clear and unfal ng voice. The usual titter which ts an uncommon name went ind the schoolroom At recess the s practiced on the name, but could master it. So they called him p" All the years he lived in Hart l he was known as "Pip" Morgan. e Mr "Pip" is the hero of Charles kens' story "Great Expectations" name was not so much of a mis er "Pip" Morgan certainly has lized most of his great expecta s, in which respect he has been e fortunate than the fictitious Mr. created by the great novelist.

Washington treasury official some ago told this story illustrative of Morgan's effort to stop a financial ression. A Jewish manufacturer been operating his business for e time on credit. His notes fell early one November and he went a bank to get them renewed. Though he had been a large depositor and was known to be a man of scrupulous honesty, the bank declined to grant him an extension, insisting that he should pay his notes on the day they fell due. This was impossible, and bankruptcy stared him in the face. He went to a friend and asked him what he should do

Morgan as Samaritan.

"No bank will lend you a cent," said his adviser. "I have it. Go to Mr Morgan and state your case to him"

"Oh, he won't do anything for me," the Jew responded hopelessly. "But I'll try anyhow."

Mr Morgan received the man courteously and listened to his statement. Then he turned to his phone and rang up the bank

"Mr So-and-so is in my office" he said "and tells me you have declined to grant him an extension of his notes It is just such blankety blank people as you who are making the conditions serious Unless those notes are renewed I shall make it my business to ruin you."

Then the financier turned to the caller

"I think" he said "you will find the bank willing to extend your notes"

It was.

At least a dozen different stories have been told concerning the way in which George W Perkins came by his partnership in the firm of J Pierpont Morgan One of the best follows:

In the millionaires' club at New York Morgan said over the corned beef and cabbage to Jim Stillman, then president of the City National bank "I need a young man in my office I am growing old my partners are growing old We need a young fellow with energy, capacity and brains Do you happen to know one?" "There's a young man named Perkins I don't know but he might do," said Stillman "Who is Perkins?" asked Morgan "He's up there with McCall—George W Perkins He comes down to our bank meetings McCall seems to think a great deal of him."

Talking the Palisades.

Several days later Morgan was talking with Robert Bacon, one of his partners. "Do you know a young man named Perkins?" he asked. Bacon said he did. "Well," said the great promoter, "I want to see him, and I don't want him to know that I want to see him. Get him in here so I can look him over." The next time Bacon saw Perkins the latter was full of the protection of the Palisades along the Hudson river "Talked with the old man about putting up some money?" said Bacon. "Who—Mr Morgan?" "Yes; he might help you." "Oh, I guess he wouldn't be interested." "It won't do any harm to try him Have you ever met him?" "Never" "Come along over, and I'll introduce you." Perkins went over and talked Palisades for half an hour

Morgan stared vacantly over a big black cigar and did not seem to be much interested in Perkins and his Palisades Protective union. When Perkins stopped for breath Morgan still puffed away and stared vacantly Perkins talked more Palisades. Morgan still stared vacantly. Perkins began to feel hot and nervous. He told the entire history of the Palisades movement. Morgan continued to stare vacantly. Perkins felt sore and stopped talking Morgan swung around in his chair, fingered his cigar, stared vacantly some more and said, "Well, I don't know much about the Palisades, but how would you like to become a partner in my firm?" Perkins has never forgotten the sensations of that moment He managed to say finally that he did not know how he should like it. "I'll guarantee you—how much does McCall give you?" "Twenty-five thousand a year" "I'll guarantee you $250,000 a year, and whatever more is coming as your share of the firm's profits you shall get. I want an answer at once"

Morgan Astounded.

Perkins sat quiet for a few moments, then said that he could not give an answer at once. It was Morgan's turn to be astounded He agreed, however, that Perkins should return an answer as soon as he could find his mind Less than a week later the young man wrote a polite note to Morgan saying he guessed he would remain where he was—with John A. McCall. This resistance, of course, was fatal. It made Morgan think he was obliged to have Perkins He said as much to Mr. McCall, and Perkins came

Mr Morgan was standing before a picture in a New York gallery when a handsomely dressed woman asked him a question bearing on the painting. Mr Morgan, delighted to discuss such a subject, chatted freely about art matters and then bowed himself out. The woman said to the proprietor "That man was an art critic, I guess He seemed to know all about pictures If you know his address I wish you would send him this check, for I m sure I appreciate his kindness very much"

The dealer gasped, "Why, madam, that was J Pierpont Morgan!" Later he told the millionaire what had occurred. "You might have let her send the check" grunted Mr Morgan. "It would have been the first money I ever made out of my hobby"

An amusing story is related of Mr. Morgan in connection with one of his visits to Dinan, in France He employed a local photographer to develop a number of views that he had been taking with his camera, but the photographer did not know the financier and hesitated whether he should complete the work or not before having some assurance that he was going to be paid for it So he went down to the local bank and asked the manager if he happened to know anything about a gentleman named Morgan

"An American?" asked the manager.

"Yes," replied the photographer. "Mr.—what is it?—eh—Pierpont Morgan"

"Precisely" replied the manager. "Well we know all we want to know about him"

"Oh, monsieur, will it be safe to trust him for 300 francs?"

"Trust him," cried the banker—"trust him for anything and everything he takes it into his head to dream of!"

His Purchase of Diamonds.

A leading jeweler of Paris told the following story about Mr Morgan, who had seen two magnificent diamonds in the jeweler's shop and wanted to present them to the New York Museum of Natural History for its collection of precious stones, but he thought the price, $8,000, extortionate A few days later, however, being then in London, Mr Morgan wrote to the jeweler to send the diamonds to him for a second examination which was done. Within a week the jeweler received another letter from Mr Morgan accompanying a small box heavily sealed. The letter said

"The stones are really perfect. I would like to buy them but think your price abnormal That's why I send them back If you can let me have them for $6,000, telegraph, at the same time returning, duly reinsured, without troubling about breaking the seals in order to save time"

The jeweler decided not to reduce the price and opened the box The diamonds were not there, but instead he found Mr Morgan's check for $8,000 with this brief note "I'll take them anyhow Send receipt."

It is said that Morgan once promised his wife that when he had amassed a fortune of a certain amount he would retire from business and devote himself to a life of leisure. But when the time came he begged off. "What should I do?" he said. "I am ashamed to be idle" And he kept on at work.

One of the latest incidents told of the financier was his experience with a dentist and what came of it.

The dentist was hurting Mr Morgan, who was both blunt and frank in telling him of that fact.

"One of the worst cases of destitution I know of is that of my wife's washerwoman," remarked the dentist by way of diversion.

"How is that?" asked Mr. Morgan

"Her husband died and left her thirteen children Only five of them are large enough to work."

The dentist, who kept on with both his work and his hard luck narrative, didn't leave out any of the harrowing details of the widow's fight for a living in the face of great odds. Mr Morgan asked a question now and then and finally, after an unusually severe ordeal, left the operating room. The next day the dentist received a letter which read about as follows:

Dear Doctor—You hurt me like the devil yesterday, but your vivid story about the widow and her thirteen children helped some. Inclosed find my check for $10,000, which please turn over to the washerwoman and tell her for me that she was a fool to have thirteen children.

The dentist complied with Mr. Morgan's request.

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MPANIES CLAIM 'ROPOSED RATES TO BE DESTRUCTIVE

Washington, April 1.—Final arents submitted to the interstate merce commission today by the ress companies, it was maintain that the new rates proposed by commission would involve de ctive reductions in the revenues he companies

was urged by counsel for the npanies that no proof had been presented that the general level of express rates was too high or that there was any basis for a general reduction of rates

Upon the record compiled today, the commission will base its final order fixing such rates as may be regarded as reasonable

WM. L. LA FOLLETTE, SENATOR'S BROTHER, OFFERED POSITION.

Washington, April 1.—Although the White House declined either to deny or affirm the report, it was declared today that President Wilson virtually had decided to appoint William L LaFollette, of Wisconsin, a brother of Senator LaFollette, to the position of register of wills of the District of Columbia. The place commands a salary of $4,000 a year. Mr. LaFollette has been a life-long democrat and conducted the Wisconsin campaign for President Wilson. He is ten years older than his progressive republican brother.

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A Coupon Sale "Fairly" Flooded With Good Values

WEDNESDAY COUPON SALE

COUPON
98c Kid Gloves 63c
Women's stylish Kid Gloves, two-clasp affairs, fine French Kid Grade, choice white, tan, black and grey Wednesday with Coupon, 63c.
(T)

COUPON
45c Men's Overalls 29c
Men's heavy Railroad Overalls; with bib, roomy pockets, cut full and large; all sizes. Wednesday with Coupon, 29c.
(T)

COUPON
Clark's O. N. T. Thread 1½c
Famous Clark's O. N T Darning Cotton, choice black and white, full yardage large spools Wednesday with Coupon, 1½c.
(T)

COUPON
25c Bib Aprons 15c
Women's Aprons, cut full and large, made with bib, taped edge, made of exceptional fine gingham Wednesday with Coupon, 15c.
(T)

COUPON
25c Wash Silks 16½c
27 inches wide, beautiful wash Silks, neat self-covered designs, of almost any shade Wednesday with Coupon, 16½c
(T)

COUPON
15c Corset Covers 7½c
One lot fashionable tight-fitting Corset Covers for women; nicely finished, neatly sewed, splendidly made Wednesday with Coupon, 7½c.
(T)

COUPON
19c Dutch Collars 5c
500 samples of Dutch Collars, some pretty embroidered and lace trimmed styles, round and square cut Wednesday with Coupon, 5c
(T)

COUPON
5c Wrigley's Spearmint Gum .. 2½c
Sold the world over at 5c a package Wrigley's famous Spearmint Chewing Gum Wednesday with Coupon, 2½c
(T)

COUPON
$2.50 Women's Rain Coats 99c
Women's rubber surface Rain Coats; guaranteed rain proof, nicely lined, auto styles Wednesday with Coupon, 99c
(T)

COUPON
50c Black Sateen Shirts 29c
Men's Black Sateen Shirts, cut full and large, double stitched seams, all sizes, deep yoke Wednesday with Coupon, 29c.
(T)

COUPON
39c Dressing Sacques 25c
Women's Dressing Sacques, neat, attractive patterns; nicely sewed with peplin, all sizes. Wednesday with Coupon, 25c.
(T)

COUPON
10c Canvas Gloves 3c
Women's and Boys' Canvas Gloves, extra heavy canvas, securley sewed seams; cut full and large. Wednesday with Coupon, 3c
(T)

COUPON
5c Colgate's Toilet Soap 3c
Highly medicated Toilet Soap, fits the palm, makes a thick lather. Wednesday with Coupon, 3c
(T)

$8 and $10 Women's Spring Coats

COUPON
(T)

SAVE!

Wednesday we are reserving 75 Women's coats that are **Actually Worth $8 to $10,** of the season's newest materials such as weaves and serges—trimmed models—high grade tailoring. The practical woman should not overlook this opportunity to obtain a coat of exceptional worth.

Wednesday, with coupon—

$4.85

COUPON
7c Cotton Torchon Lace 3½c
Wide Cotton Torchon Lace, for trimming of pillow cases, skirts, etc, a pretty line of pattern Wednesday with Coupon, yd. 3½c.
(T)

COUPON
45c Women's Union Suits 28c
Women's light weight Spring and Summer Union Suits, low and high neck long and short sleeves, all sizes Wednesday with Coupon, 28c
(T)

COUPON
4c Pearl Buttons 1c
Ocean pearl Buttons, clear, white dozen on a card, assorted sizes Wednesday with Coupon, 1c
(T)

COUPON
3c Card Hooks and Eyes 1c
Celebrated "Jamison" card of Hooks and Eyes, nicely finished; 700 on sale. Wednesday with Coupon, 1c
(T)

COUPON
10c Corticillo Silk 6c
Famous Corticillo Spool Silk, 100 yards on a spool, fine twisted Silk Thread, sold all over Lima at 10c a spool Wednesday at 6c.
(T)

COUPON
25c Popular Music Hits 6c
Famous "Will Rossiter's" Folio of Popular Music—"11 hits" introducing complete "Mammy's Shuffling Dance," "Everybody Two Step," "On Circus Day," etc All for 6c on Coupon day, Wednesday
(T)

COUPON
15c Colgate's Talcum Powder... 10c
Famous Colgate's Talcum Powder, finely scented, they couldn't improve the powder, so they improved the sifter; cashmere boquet. Wednesday with Coupon, 10c
(T)

COUPON
25c Children's Rompers 15c
Age 2 to 6, Children's Rompers, of fine washable gingham, neatly sewed, easy to wash, hard to wear out Wednesday with Coupon, 15c
(T)

COUPON
25c Pad Garters 11c
Men's "Napoleon" Pad Garters as advertised in the National Magazines, won't bind the leg; strong elastic. Wednesday with Coupon, 11c
(T)

COUPON
4c Women's Kerchiefs 1c
Women's and Children's pure white Cambric Kerchiefs, neatly hemmed all around, limit 6 to a customer. Wednesday with Coupon, 1c.
(T)

COUPON
50c Silk Hose 27c
Women's pure Silk Hose, full fashioned, deep dyed black, double and triple heel and sole Wednesday with coupon, 27c
(T)

COUPON
10c Ribbed Vests 5½c
Women's fine gauze ribbed Vests, nicely taped around neck and under armholes, all sizes Wednesday with Coupon, 5½c.
(T)

COUPON
7c Cotton Challies 4c
One assortment of Cotton Challies, neat designs, standard quality Wednesday with Coupon, 4c.
(T)

COUPON
9c Brass Curtain Rods 4c
Extension Curtain Rods to 44 inches long, heavy brass plated, pretty aluminum knobs Wednesday with Coupon, 4c.
(T)

COUPON
35c Ruffled Curtains 22c
Pretty white Curtains, ruffled edge, 2¾ yards long fresh crisp kind, neatly finished ready for use. Wednesday with Coupon, 22c.
(T)

COUPON
5c Kitchen Toweling 3c
Extra Kitchen Toweling, in fancied kind, fadeless red border absorbent quality Wednesday with Coupon, 3c
(T)

COUPON
10c Dress Gingham 6¾c
Standard grade Dress Gingham, choice stripes, checks and plaids, usual width Wednesdry with Coupon, 6¾c
(T)

COUPON
7c Oil Cloth 3c
Pretty Shelf Oil Cloth, of almost an unlimited range of designs; neat scalloped edge. Wednesday with Coupon, 3c.
(T)

COUPON
8c Bleached Muslin 5¾c
36 inches wide, full bleached muslin, free from all artifical dressings, heavy, firmly woven, Wednesday with Coupon, 5¾c.
(T)

Concert Music Dep't. Wednesday.

"THE UNDERSELLING STORE"
BOSTON STORE
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Watch for the Coming Event.

SOCIAL EVENTS.

Lima women are delighted over the new neckwear that is designed for spring and summer and is now displayed in the stores, because it is far prettier and daintier than in other seasons A collar and cuff made of sheer white mull, embroidered with forget-me-nots, is attractive Another set is made entirely of tiny frills of Valencennes lace.

The frill of today is not the full affair it used to be, for it is almost devoid of extra fullness Roman and Bulgarian ribbons, which means ribbons with gay stripes and strong colors, are made into neck bows and are particularly stunning when the hat is trimmed with the same and there is one of the new-fashioned girdles of the ribbon to complete the stylish effect.

In the art department there are sets of collars and cuffs in the most recent designs, already stamped to be embroidered. The material for the set is inexpensive.

"One hour's actual playing each day is sufficient for me to prepare for a recital and I never look at the notes of pieces on my program I think the pieces through and for this I must be quiet and be by myself Every note must be indelibly engraved on my memory"

So says Germaine Schnitzer, the brilliant pianist, who comes to Lima Friday evening, April 11, under the auspices of the Women's Music club in the last artist recital of the season Parents who are anxious to have their children make real progress in music, should see to it that these children are in attendance at the recital, which will be held at the Faurot opera house.

Mrs. Arthur Fisher, of 927 west Wayne street, will entertain the Ideal club, Thursday afternoon, at her home

The social, which had been arranged by the Christian Endeavor society of the Central Church of Christ for Wednesday evening, has been postponed and will be held a week hence An interesting program is in preparation Mrs G F Ogievie is the chairman in charge of the social

The Algonquin club will hold their regular weekly meeting Friday afternoon, at the home of Mrs DeVoe, of west Eureka street

The degree staff of the Moose lodge have arranged for a dance, to be held Thursday evening at their hall, Main and Spring streets. A fancy drill by members of the staff will precede the dance at 9.30 o'clock. The degree team will be in full uniform Rothlesberger's orchestra will furnish music for the occasion.

Mrs Hugh Patton, of east Pearl street, entertained the Martha Washington club this afternoon, the meeting having been postponed from last Tuesday, on account of the floods.

GUARANTEED: Our chef says Gold Medal Flour only Wingmaker.

CULTURED WOMAN.

To travel in high class educational work Position demands superior qualifications and pays upwards of $100 per month Address, with references Mr Dum, care Waldo Hotel

NOTICE.

The meeting of the Retail Merchants' Bureau of the Lima Progressive Association, scheduled for tonight, has been postponed

GEORGE L NEWSON,
Chairman.

For Burns, Bruises and Sores.

The quickest and surest cure for burns, bruises, boils, sores, inflammation and all skin diseases is Bucklen's Arnica Salve In four days it cured L. H Haslin, of Iredell, Tex., of a sore on his ankle which pained him so he could hardly walk Should be in every house. Only 25c Recommended by H F. Vortkamp.

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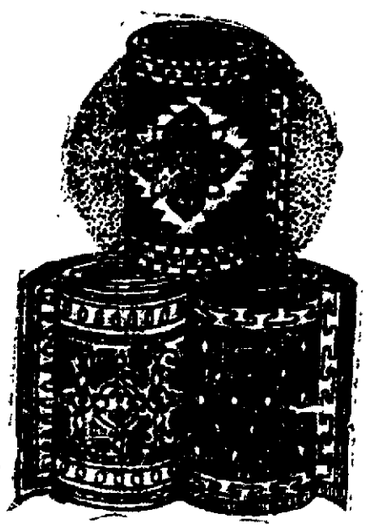
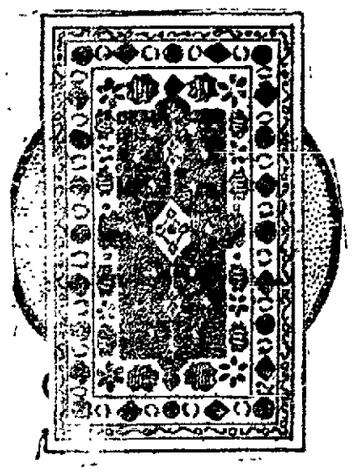


America's Best Makes Carpets and Rugs

The showing of Carpets, Rugs, Mattings, Linoleums, Curtains and Draperies for Spring will prove a surprise to you. All the designer's art and skill are found in these new Spring patterns; all made in mills of highest character—such as **French Wiltons, Hardwick Wiltons, Bundhar Wiltons, Selkirk Wiltons, Cashgar Wiltons, Sivas Wilton, Hartford Wilton and Whittall Wiltons**—in a wide range of prices—$35.00, $39.00, $42.50, $45.00, $47.50, $50.00 to $60.00. The biggest and best assortment in Northwestern Ohio to select from.



Tapestry Brussels Rugs, size 9x12, **$12.50 to $20**.

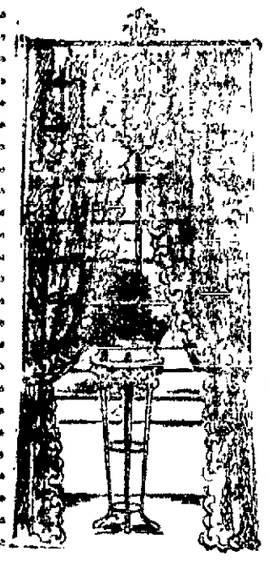
Velvet Brussels Rugs, size 9x12, prices, **$22.50 to $25.00.**

Axminster Rugs. size 9x12, prices, **$22.50 to $29.**

Extra fine grades Body Brussels Rugs, size 9x12, price, **$27.90.**

Fiber Rugs, all colors, size 9x12, prices, **$6.90 to $14.50.**

The biggest and best line of small Rugs to be found in Allen County, prices, **$1.25, $1.89, $2.50, $3.90, $5.90, $7.00, $8.00 and $9.00.**



Lace Curtains for Spring in a wide range of patterns. Prices per pair,

69c to $13.50

Portiers, **$2.75 to $18.75.** The new thing for Spring. Couch Covers,

--89c and up

Ingrain Carpets, new patterns, **59c to 70c per yard.**

Tapestry Brussels Carpets, from **69c to $1.00 per yard.**

Axminster Carpets, finegrades, **$1.25 to $1.50 per yard.**

Rag Carpets, **35c**; Granite, per yard. **25c.**

Print Linoleum, **60c to 75c per sq. yd.**

Best grades Inlaid Linoleums, **$1.50 to $1.65 sq. yd.**

Mattings, new patterns, **15c to 50c per yard.**

Our Basement Offers the Buying Public Unparalleled Bargains for the Home. Your Wants Are Best Supplied Here and at a Saving in Price

Brass Beds, from **$15.00 to $35.00.**

Iron Beds at very special prices.

Wood frame Springs, special, **$2.75.**

Steel Springs, single and double, **$4.50 to $8.50.**

All cotton felt Mattresses, **$7.90 to $14.50.**

Special silk floss Mattresses, at **$12.50.**

Now is the time to buy a Sewing Machine. You will need one for your Spring sewing. Come in and let us show you machines. One special make, at **$17.75.**

Gas and Portable Lamps, from **$4.75 to $25.00.**

Dinner Sets, from **$6.00 up to $35.00.**

Vases, all kinds, from **40c up to $5.00.**

Statuary, all grades, from **50c up to $5.90.**

Fancy China in separate pieces to select from.

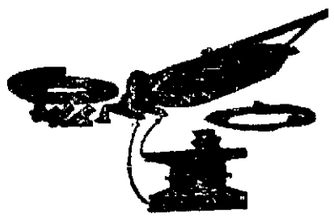
Wood Curtain Poles, any length, per foot, **3c to 5c.**

Curtain Rods, **10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c and 50c.**

Window Shades, water colors, **25c and up.**

Oil Shades, **50c up.** See us for your shades. No order too large or too small for our consideration.

Come to this store for your Carpet and Rug wants.



Electric Sweeper like cut, **$24.50.** With all attachments, nozzles, etc., **$32.**

Woman's friend, a Dust-Vac Suction Sweeper. Removes dust, dirt and grit from your carpets. Special price, **$6.90.**

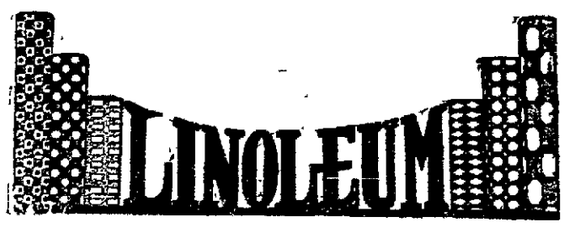
Aluminum Ware of All Kinds to Select From. At Attractive Prices.

R. T. Gregg & Co.

SEASONABLE SPRING FURNISHINGS

Whether you wish to purchase one or two items, or a Complete Outfit for the Home, we candidly believe we can SAVE YOU MONEY, both as to QUALITY and PRICE. Neuman & Kettler have long had an envied reputation for QUALITY—now we want to drive home the fact that our PRICES, as well as QUALITY, are a basis on which we appeal to you, for your trade. Here, then, is the strongest kind of a combination. Notice the big values we advertise—then come in and view the finest and largest selection of artistic Home Furnishings in Lima.

Remember, we TRUST YOU for any of these values. We make it easy for you to own beautiful homefurnishings.

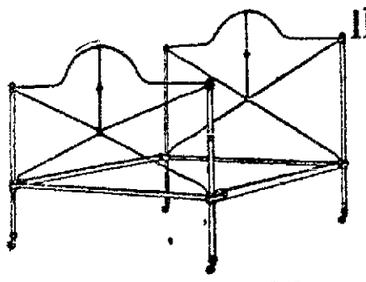


LINOLEUM SPECIAL

A very high grade linoleum, which we guarantee in every particular, and which sells at 60c regularly; we offer this week for 49c. **49c**

BODY BRUSSEL RUG SPECIAL

We have never offered such a value as this. A full size 9 x 12 Rug, in the popular medium allover pattern, oriental design. Body Brussels Rugs usually sell from $27.50 to $32.00. Here is a BIG VALUE for $21. **$21.00**



IRONBEDS

To those unfortunates who lost much during the recent floods, this low priced Iron Bed then appeals as a Bargain. Other good values at $2.15, $3.50, $4.50 and $6.50. **$1.85**

CURTAIN STRETCHER

Spring is the time to clean lace curtains. A good value in a curtain stretcher at

89c

Others at $1.25 to $1.75.

BABY'S HEALTH

demands the balmy air that a daily outing gives. Whether you wish a collapsible cart at $3.25 or a big carriage up to $45, we offer the most varied assortment. Cut shows a big bargain at very special price of $13.85. **$13.85**

Matting Special.
Regular 15c Matting, this week only for **12½c**

NEUMAN & KETTLER

NO TRACE OF MURDERER

Who Sunday Night Deliberately Shot and Killed Rosella Newson.

POLICE SEARCH FOR GEORGE SIDDI

Whose Capture and Punishment is Hourly More Doubtful.

The police have been unable to find any trace of the murderer of Resella Newson, who was killed Sunday night at the corner of Vine street and the C, H. & D. railroad by an Italian, supposed to be George Siddi.

Acting upon the report that Siddi had made his escape, in the company of another man in a buggy, all of the surrounding towns have been notified and the authorities are keeping a sharp lookout for the man.

Siddi has been in this country for 18 years, speaks English well and could easily pass for an American, making his capture doubly difficult. It was reported that a man answering his description had been seen in Toledo but the clue proved a false one.

No word has been received as yet from the girl's mother, Mrs. Eugene [illegible]gee, of Petosky, Mich., who was notified of her daughter's death. The body is being held at the morgue of F. C. Whitley, on east North street.

MISSION FOR THE ITALIANS OF LIMA.

Through the zeal and earnest endeavors of Reverend A. E. Manning, pastor of St. Rose church, this city, a mission for the Italians of both St Rose and St. John churches will be opened Monday, April 7, and will continue until Sunday, April 13. The mission will be conducted by Reverend S. Cianci, D. D., of Grand Rapids, Michigan, a very learned and scholarly man; and the Italians are all requested to show their appreciation to Reverend Father Manning in obtaining for them this great favor, by attending the services which will be held in St. Rose church every evening at 7:30.

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PRESENCE REQUIRED IN THE FOREST CITY

Bishop W. A. Leonard Has Postponed Confirming Large Class at Christ Church.

Owing to the damage done by the high waters in and around the Cleveland district, Bishop W. A. Leonard of the northern diocese of Ohio, Episcopalian church, has deemed it best to postpone the confirmation of the class which was ready for reception and which has been prepared by Rev. Arthur M. Griffin, rector of Christ Church Episcopal. The bishop's coming was expected tonight, but the occurrences of the past week have altered his plans.

It is expected now that Bishop Leonard will arrive in Lima the middle of the month to perform the rite of confirmation, although no definite date is set. At that time a class of a dozen or more will receive the rites of the church and be received into membership.

Pains in the Stomach.

If you continually complain of pains in the stomach, your liver or your kidneys are out of order. Neglect may lead to dropsy, kidney trouble, diabetes or Bright's disease. Thousands recommend Electric Bitters as the very best stomach and kidney medicine made. H. T. Alston of Raleigh, N. C., who suffered with pain in the stomach and back, writes "My kidneys were deranged and my liver did not work right. I suffered much, but Electric Bitters was recommended and I improved from the first dose. I now feel like a new man." It will improve you, too. Only 50c and $1.00. Recommended by H. F. Vortkamp.

MAID GENEROUS WITH CLOTHING OF HER MISTRESS.

Washington, April 1.—Red Cross officials in Ohio were instructed today by the society headquarters here to be on the lookout for a $1,000 fur coat among the clothes sent for the relief of the flood sufferers.

The coat belonged to a Baltimore woman who upon the receipt of news about the suffering in Ohio directed her servants to donate all the spare clothing around the house for relief of those in distress. The woman today notified Red Cross headquarters that her maid had included the $1,000 fur coat in the donation.

FLOATING BASE OF FLOOD SUPPLIES TO BE ESTABLISHED

Washington, April 1.—War department officials decided today to establish at once near St. Louis a floating base of supplies from which relief may be extended with the least possible delay to any flooded community along the lower Ohio or Mississippi. The base will consist of a number of vessels loaded with food, clothing and medical supplies. Major Normoyle will be in charge.

GIVES TALK ON BERGSON

John K. Brice is Speaker at Parlor Lecture at the Richie Home.

LOTUS AND ARBUTUS CLUBS, LISTENERS

Cheerful Philosophy of the Frenchman Proves of Interest.

John K. Brice, who about three weeks ago listened to a series of five lectures by M. Bergson, at Columbia University, told of this great Frenchman, his thoughts, his action and his policy, as expressed through his personality and in his writings, last evening. The home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Richie, of west North street, was opened for the occasion and the members of the Lotus and Arbutus clubs and just a few guests, were present to listen to the interesting things Mr. Brice had to tell.

He believes, according to the theories advanced by Mr. Brice in his talk last night, that one may study and learn all the facts that can be learned and science may offer deductions and there deductions may be complete, but that over and above all, there is an intuitive judgment formed, which is greater than mind or reason and helps to form our opinions.

The great philosopher says that it may be called soul or what, it does not matter the name that may be applied. He is a great writer in French, although many of his books and publications are now being translated. Bergson wrote "The Science of Laughter;" "Creative Evolution," and "An Introduction to Metaphysics."

Bergson says that the formation of this judgment may be transmitted as creed, but that it will not change nor flow. While science moulds, it does not form judgment. His beliefs are summed up in the subject that when we get at the center of things and have all there is to be learned, then we are led to adopt very readily this form of judgment and to do it unconsciously. His is a cheerful philosophy.

While at the university Mr. Brice, who is a student of the great Frenchman, took notes on the lectures and came back to speak prepared authoratively upon the subject. From the beginning until the end of his talk, there was much of interest and knowledge to be gained. At the close, many appreciative encomiums were showered upon the speaker and upon the hostess for her forethought in arranging the parlor lecture.

Mrs. W. L. Mackenzie and Miss Anna Cantwell gave a piano number, Miss Florence Campbell sang and Mrs. Weaver, of Mount Vernon, who is the guest of Mrs. A. L. White, gave two vocal numbers, thereby adding to the pleasure of the evening.

Delicious refreshments completed the happy hours.

The crackers with the flavor—FEXODA BISCUITS. Get a pound at your grocer's.

Coughs and Consumption.

Coughs and colds, when neglected, always lead to serious trouble of the lungs. The wisest thing to do when you have a cold that troubles you is to get a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery. You will get relief from the first dose, and finally the cough will disappear. O. H. Brown of Muscadine, Ala., writes: "My wife was down in bed with an obstinate cough, and I honestly believe had it not been for Dr. King's New Discovery she would not be living today." Known for forty-three years as the best remedy for coughs and colds. Price 50c and $1.00. Recommended by H. F. Vortkamp.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Oren Dickason has been entertaining Mr. and Mrs. George Colvin, of Toledo, Mrs. Colvin being a sister.

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Smith, of Leipsic, were in Lima last evening, en route to their home. Mrs. Smith and little son had been to Upper Sandusky for a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orians. Mr. Smith came to Lima to meet and accompany her home.

Mrs. George Bassler and Miss Edna Bassler have gone to Elkhart, Ind., for a visit with their son and brother, Dr. C. R. Bassler, expecting to be absent some time.

Mrs. F. B. Lewis, of south West street, spent Sunday with relatives in Columbus Grove.

Miss Hazel Dickman has returned to Detroit, after an Easter visit with her parents in Lima.

Mrs. Charles F. Price, of 117 south Metcalf street, is entertaining her sister, Mrs. R. F. Hill, of Indianapolis, Ind.

Attorney Freeman T. Eagleson, of Akron, and his fiancee, Miss Jessie L. Neely, of St. Marys, were in Lima Monday, calling upon numerous friends. Their marriage will be an event of June and will be of state-wide interest, due to the fact Mr. Eagleson is so well known politically and is a man of affairs in the Buckeye state.

Adolph Ritzler, of the Lima Automatic Music company, is in Marion today on business connected with the firm.

SMITH TO SUCCEED BOWERS.

Washington, April 1.—George M. Bowers, federal commissioner of fisheries, sent his resignation to President Wilson today to become effective April 10. Hugh M. Smith, deputy commissioner, is slated to succeed him.

MRS. PANKHURST IS FOUND GUILTY BY GRAND JURY.

London, April 1.—A true bill against Mrs. Emeline Pankhurst was returned today by the grand jury at the Old Bailey Sessions on the charge of incitement to commit damage in connection with the destruction of the country residence of Chancellor Lloyd George. The offense is punishable with penal servitude for 14 years. Following a suggestion made by Baron Von Horst, of San Francisco, a number of American suffragists are collecting various instruments used in the forcible feeding of women prisoners. These include screws and pliers used to force the jaws apart, feeding tubes and other utensils. The collection will be exhibited in New York and other American cities.

The campaign was continued today with more energy than ever on behalf of Miss Zelie Emerson, of Detroit, the militant suffragette, who is undergoing two months' imprisonment in Holloway jail for window breaking.

"The proof of the pudding is in the Eating." Try AMSTERDAM COOKIES at your grocer's.

GAYNOR REASONS THAT APRIL FOOL IS BIGGEST FOOL.

New York, April 1.—Mayor Gaynor's April 1 ukase—nothing to drink after 1 a. m., struck the tenderloin on schedule time early today causing the worst drought in a decade. In places where proprietors were inclined to be recalcitrant the police turned the lights out and unceremoniously forced patrons out to the sidewalks. Only one arrest was made. The victim was an obstinate man who insisted on finishing a lobster.

From Harlem to Park Row, with few exceptions liquor selling ceased promptly at 1 a. m. Variety shows also stopped at that time. A few restaurants kept open serving food after that time, but most of them closed entirely.

It being April fool's day diners took the new regulation good-naturedly.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
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WANTED—Estimates on the number of suits we will sell opening week. See our ad. King Woolen Mills Co, 124 E. High St. 7t4

WANTED—Party moving to Lima wishes to buy a home; location, south of Market and west of Main. Will pay $1,800 to $2,500. Address Buyer, care Times-Democrat.

WOMEN to do plain sewing at home for a large Philadelphia firm; good money and steady work; no canvassing. Send reply envelope for prices paid. Universal Co., Desk B, Walnut St., Philadelphia, Pa 7t2*

WANTED—1000 particular dressers to investigate our system of tailoring. King Woolen Mills Co., 124 W. High street. 6-5t

WANTED—Girls at Mosier's laundry Apply at once. mar25tf

WANTED—A bunch of nice spring weather for our opening Saturday. King Woolen Mills Co., on High street, near Faurot Opera House. 6-5t

WANTED—Two steady men to operate elevator at Hotel Norval. 6-3t

WANTED—Rollers, Bunch-breakers and Stripers. Also beginners to learn the trade. Good wages, constant employment. Apply either factory. The Deisel-Wemmer Company. jan30-11-tf

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FOR SALE—Household furniture. Cheap if sold at once. New Phone 1373-C. 6-3t

FOR SALE—Brice avenue lot, 41x150 corner Woodward avenue, well located on high ground, a short square west of Collett St., two minutes walk from street car service. One of the finest building sites on Brice avenue. Special price this week $1,125.00. The careful purchaser will promptly investigate this proposition. Henry W. Neff, New phone 466. 6t3

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FOR SALE—A gray horse at 528 North West street. 6t3

FOR SALE—Rubber tire phaeton, as good as new. Also set of single harness. 618 west Wayne street. K. Krauss. 6-3t*

FOR SALE—43½-acre farm, formerly the Dr. Honnel farm; also my residence in Beaverdam. Have not rented yet and will sell at a bargain if sold inside of next 30 days.—Henry Shull, Beaverdam. feb 29tnes-fri-tf

FOR SALE—20 new houses and bungalows in all parts of Lima—Prices $1,000 to $5,000. Cash or easy terms. If you want to buy a home, see us. Bell 'phone 961; New 'phone 1691, Home Builders, Holland building. aug27tf

FOR SALE—My residence property 871 west Market street. Lot 50x206. 9 rooms aside from large closets, linen room, alcoves, and bath. Toilets up stairs and down. Full basement. All modern. Emerson W. Price. jan1tf

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Office room, Masonic Building. Inquire of R. L. Bates, Buckeye Pipe Line Office. 5-5t

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FOR RENT—Desk room and private office. Enquire at rooms 11 and 12, Holmes block, Lima, O. Phone 232. 171-tf

FOR RENT—8 room modern house, now vacant, and most desirable, modern 7 room flat, large screened porch and laundry. Place for you to April 1. Both in walking distance Phone 1040-C. 7-31*

FOR RENT—Six room house with factory for rent at 758 Greenwood avenue. Inquire of P. J. Connell, Erie Hotel. New Phone 594. 2-6t

MISCELLANEOUS

CLIP THE COUPON—You may be the lucky one to win that suit. King Woolen Mills Co., on High St., near Faurot Opera House. 7t4

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EXTRA PANTS free, with every suit order during our opening week, only King Woolen Mills Co., on High street, almost opposite Post Office. 6-5t

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DID YOU READ about the Free Suit offer in today's ad? It's no fake. King Woolen Mills Co., 124 E High St. 7t4

MEN-WOMEN—Get government parcels post jobs. $20 week. Write for list of positions open. Franklin Institute, Dept. 299 B. Rochester, N. Y. 2-12to4-12

WEAR A "KING" made to order suit and become a "KING" booster. King Woolen Mills Co., on High street, almost opposite Post Office. 6-5t

ON HIGH ST., the Post Office is almost opposite our store. Bear this in mind. Come Saturday. King Woolen Mills Co., 124 W. High street. 6-5t

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900-Year-Old Church.

The nine hundredth anniversary of the opening for service of the Church of Greensted, Essex, built of oak trees split in half fifty-four years before the Norman conquest, occurred recently. A special celebration is proposed.—London Mail.

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ST. MARYS FARMER CLAIMS LIMA BRIDE

Secure Their License in St. Marys and Are United in Marriage by Rev. Bovey.

Miss Loretta Miller, of St. Marys, but who during the season is employed in the millinery store conducted by Miss Callahan in the Black Block, and Lorey Guy Whetstone, of St. Marys, were married Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock by Rev. J. B. Bovey, of the First United Brethren church, at his home on east Market street.

The young people were unaccompanied. They came from St. Marys to have the ceremony performed, where they secured the marriage license. Mr. Whetstone and his bride left for that place following their marriage. They will reside upon a farm owned by the father of the bride.

VERDICT FOR THE PLAINTIFF

William Schatzman Recovered $52.50 From Sadie Hart on a Plumbing Bill.

The case of William Schatzman and Company against Sadie Hart, a suit to recover $79.66, alleged amount due for plumbing work, was heard in Justice Holmes' court this morning before a jury The plaintiffwas awarded a verdict of $52.50.

Attorney Emmitt Jackson represented the plaintiff, while Jhon Klatte acted in a similar capacity for the defendant.

Off Guard.

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MARKETS

LIMA MARKETS.

WHOLESALE PRODUCE.

Country Butter, lb.	30c
Lard, lb.	12c
Eggs, doz.	18c
Young Chickens, lb.	12c
Chickens, lb.	14c
Ducks, lb.	12c
Potatoes, bu.	45c
Apples, bu.	75c@$1.00
Turnips, bu.	40c
Onions, bu.	60c

RETAIL GROCERIES.

Country Butter, lb.	35c
Creamery Butter, per lb.	40c
Lard, lb.	15c
Eggs, doz.	20c
Chickens, lb.	14c
Potatoes, bu.	60c
Apples, bu.	$1.20
Turnips, bu.	60c
Onions, bu.	$1.00

LOCAL GRAIN MARKET.

Wheat, bu.	$1.02
Corn, per cwt.	70c
Oats, bu.	28c
Timothy Seed, bu.	$1.00
Rye, bu.	65c
Red Clover Seed, bu.	$9.50
Alsike, bu.	$10.00

HAY MARKET.

No. 1 Timothy, baled, ton	$12.00
No. 1 Timothy, bulk, ton	$10.00
No. 1 Mixed, baled, ton	$11.00
No. 1 Mixed, bulk, ton	$9.00
No. 1 Cloved, baled, ton	$10.00
No. 1 Clover, bulk, ton	$8.00

LIVE STOCK.

Good Steers, 1100 to 1200 lbs.	7@7¼c
Fair Steers, 900 to 1000 lbs.	6½@7c
Heifers	5½@6½c
Calves	7½@8c
Bulls	5@5¾c
Cows	3½@5½c
Lambs	7@8¼c
Hogs, heavy	8½@8¾c

THE MARKETS.

New York, April 1.—Prices were higher when the stock market opened today. There was some heavy buying of Reading, but otherwise trading was quiet with fractional advances. Can preferred, which sold ex-dividend of 1¾ per cent regular and 24 per cent extra opened at 96¾, compared with yesterday's close of 122¾.

PITTSBURGH LIVE STOCK.

Pittsburg, Pa., April 1.—Hogs, receipts 1,000; slow; heavy $10.40; heavy yorkers, light yorkers and pigs $10.50.

Sheep and lambs, receipts 1,000; slow; clipped sheep $6.75; wool sheep $7.50; clipped lambs $8.50; wool lambs $9.25.

Calves, receipts 1,000; steady, top $11.25.

CLEVELAND PRODUCE.

Cleveland, O., April 1.—Butter, creamery extras, 38@38½c a pound; prints, 39@39½; firsts, 36½@37; seconds, 35½@36; process, extras 28@28½; firsts, 26½@27; dairy, fancy, 29@30; do choice, 25@26; packing stock, No 1, 20@21; No 2, 18@19.

Cheese, American, whole milk, fancy twins and flats, 19@20c a pound; do choice, 18@18½c; brick, fancy, 19@20c; choice, 17@18; Swiss, fancy, open, 23@24; do choice, 21@22; limburger, fancy, 19@20c; do choice, 17@18; block, 20@21; imported, fancy 32@34; do choice, 31@32; band cheese, 80c a box; roquefort, 45c a pound.

Eggs, fresh gathered, current receipts, 18c a dozen; do seconds 15½.

Poultry, alive, chickens, 19@20c a pound.

Apples, cold storage, $2.75@3.25 a barrel; No. 2, $1.50@2.00; half bushel basket, 25@50c; Western box, $1.00@2.00.

Potatoes, jobbing, 58@60c a bushel; store, 65c; car lots, 55c; new Bermuda, $7.50@8.00 a barrel; Florida triumphs, $2.75@3.00 a hamper.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, April 1.—Hogs, receipts 16,000, higher; bulk of sales $9.20@9.45; lights $9.25@9.62½; mixed $9.05@9.50; heavy $8.80@9.27½; rough $8.80@8.95, pigs $7.15@9.35.

Cattle, receipts 35,000; slow, beeves $7.00@9.10; Texas steers $3.50@7.85; stockers and feeders $6.00@8.00; cows and heifers $3.50@7.85; calves, $6.00@9.00.

Sheep, receipts 22,000; steady; native $5.80@6.70; yearlings $6.80@7.80; lambs, native $6.90@8.55.

EAST BUFFALO LIVE STOCK.

East Buffalo, N. Y., April 1.—Cattle, receipts 300; steady.

Veals, receipts 200; active; $5.00@12.00.

Hogs, receipts 3,200; active; heavy $9.75@9.90; mixed $9.90@10.00; yorkers and pigs $10.00@10.10; roughs $8.85@9.00; stags $7.00@8.00; dairies $9.75@10.10

Sheep and lambs, receipts 3,600; unchanged.

THE WOOL MARKET.

Boston, Mass., April 1.—The market for domestic wool is stagnant. Bins are well cleaned of old stock and bidding for the new clip is inactive. Values favor the buyer.

New medium territory is reported to bring 15 to 17 cents in the west.

Some old Ohio quarter blood has sold for 29½ and fine territory wools have been disposed of at 56 cents clean.

Limited amounts of Texas stock were transferred recently at 48 to 50 cents and Northern California at 52 cents clean.

Pulled wools are also quiet.

CLEVELAND LIVESTOCK.

Cleveland, O., April 1.—Cattle—Receipts 300. Market slow.

Veal Calves—Receipts 180. Market 50c lower. Good to choice $10.50@11.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 800. Sheep steady; lambs 25c lower. Choice spring lambs $8.50@8.75.

Hogs—Receipts 2,000. Market 10c higher. Heavies, mediums and yorkers $9.85; light yorkers and pigs $9.90; roughs $8.50; stags $7.50.

CHICAGO PRODUCE.

Chicago, April 1.—Butter: easy; creameries 28@36.

Eggs—Easy; receipts 26,855 cases; at mark cases included 16¾@17¼; ordinary firsts 16½@¾; firsts 17.

Potatoes—Steady; receipts 66 cars; Michigan 45@47; Minnesota 45@47; Wisconsin 40@48.

Poultry, weaker; dressed turkey 18, live chickens 17½; live springs 17½.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, April 1.—Butter barely steady; receipts 8,695, tubs. Creamery extras 35; firsts 34@½; seconds 33@½; state dairy good to prime 31@33; common to fair 26@30; process firsts 27@28; seconds 25@26; factory held 24½@25.

Cheese, irregular; receipts 1,863; state, whole milk held, colorede, specials 17@17¼, do white specials 16¼@16¾; do colored, average fancy 16@½; do white average fancy 16; state whole milk fresh white or colored specials 15; state whole milk daisies, held, best 16@17; Wisconsin whole milk, twins, held fancy 15@16; do twin and flats, fresh best 14½.

Eggs, unsettled; receipts 17,205 cases; fresh gathered dirties, No. 1, 16½@17; fresh gathered current good to prime 15½@16; under grade checks 14@15; state, Pennsylvania and nearby hennery whites, good to large size, new laid 15c; state Pennsylvania and nearby, whites defective in size or color 19@20; western gathered whites 19@20; state, Pennsylvania and nearby hennery browns 20c; do gathered browns and mixed colors 18@19.

CINCINNATI LIVE STOCK.

Cincinnati, O., April 1.—Cattle, receipts 400, easy; calves, steady, $12.00@13.50.

Hogs, receipts 500; packers $9.75@10.00; light hogs $9.00@9.75; common sows $7.50@9.50.

Sheep, receipts none; steady; lambs steady.

IRONTON NEEDS HELP.

Washington, April 1.—President Wilson received today the following message sent by Mayor T. J. Kennedy by special messenger from Ironton, Ohio:

"Ironton three-fourth under water. No gas, very little coal, food scarce, need financial aid; city almost bankrupt."

Economy Due to Science.

When sugar was made from beets it took about twenty tons of beets to produce one ton of sugar; now it requires but six tons, due to scientific breeding of the beets.

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MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY NIGHTS—MAR. 31, APR. 1-2
Special Matinee Tuesday Afternoon, April 1st, at 2:30—10c Any Seat
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Matinee, 2:30—All Seats 10c
Nights, 7:30 and 9:00—10-15-20c

TODAY'S OHIO INCORPORATIONS.

Columbus, O., April 1.—The Speedy Boys' Baseball Club, company, Cleveland, Robert Guciardo and others.

The Columbia Rubber Company, Columbiana, manufacturing and dealing in crude rubber, $100,000, E. L. Henderson, A. M. Albright, N. J. Richards.

The Pleasant Gun Club, Cincinnati, O. J. Huth and others.

The Newburg City Improvement Club Company, C. K. Buckley and others.

The Nitro Oil Company, Columbus, H. E. Burns, George R. Barrett, H. C. Arnold.

The Terminus Cafe Company, Cincinnati, $5,000, Arthur P. Van Leunen, James J. Kinsella, Charles L. McFadden.

PERSONALS.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Rice, of Cincinnati, a son. Mrs. Rice was formerly Miss Eleanor Spellacy, of west North street, Lima.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 15367.
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Gustave Oberwitte, plaintiff, vs. Feabey Ball, et al., defendant. Allen common pleas.

By virtue of writ of sale, issued from the court of common pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house, in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on SATURDAY, the 3rd day of May, 1913, between the hours of 10 o'clock and 11 o'clock a m, the following described lands and tenements, situated in Lima, Allen County, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

In-lot number nineteen hundred and twenty-four (1924), in John Reese's Addition to the City of Lima, Ohio.

Appraised at $1,200.00.

Terms of Sale—Cash; said premises to be sold at the east door of the court house, for not less than two-thirds (2-3) of the appraised value.

F. MARION WATT,
Sheriff, Allen Co., O.
Lima, Ohio, April 1st, 1913.
WELTY & DOWNING,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.
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LEGAL NOTICE.

Probate Court, Allen County, Ohio.

John K. Lowes and Frances G. Lowes, who reside at Pittsburg, Contra Casto county, state of California, will take notice that William W. Lowes, executor of the estate of Barbara Lowes, deceased, did on the first day of April, 1913, file his petition in the Probate Court of Allen County, Ohio, alleging that the personal property of said decedent is insufficient to pay her indebtedness and the charges of administering her estate.

That she died seized in fee simple of the following described real estate, to wit: Inlot number three hundred and fifty-six (356) in McDonald's addition to the city of Lima, Allen county, Ohio, less forty five (45) feet off of the north end thereof.

The prayer of the petition is for an order for the sale of said real estate to pay debts and the charges of administration.

John K. Lowes and Frances G. Lowes, are hereby notified that they have been made parties defendant to said petition and that they are required to answer the same on or before the 5th day of May, 1913.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 15314.
Ex Doc 13. Page 15314

William J. Richmond, plaintiff vs Anna J. Pangle, et al, defendant. Allen Common Pleas

By virtue of writ of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen County, Ohio and to me directed I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House, in Lima, Allen County, Ohio, on SATURDAY, the 19th day of April A D. 1913 between the hours of 10 o'clock and 11 o'clock a. m., the following described lands and tenements, situated in Lima, Allen County, State of Ohio, and described as follows-towit:

Lot numbered thirteen hundred and eighty-one (1381). Appraised at $325.00.

Lot numbered thirteen hundred and eighty-two (1382). Appraised at $275.00.

Lot numbered thirteen hundred and eighty-three (1383) Appraised at $275.00

Lot numbered thirteen hundred and eighty-four (1384) Appraised at $325.00

All situated in Standiford's Addition, in the City of Lima, County of Allen, and State of Ohio

Total appraisement, $1200.00

Terms of Sale: Cash.

F. MARION WATT,
Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.
Lima, Ohio, March 17, 1913
Wheeler & Bentley, Plaintiff's Att'ys
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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

The State of Ohio, Allen County, ss: Estate of James Mortimer Jacobs, deceased

A. M. Garrod has been appointed and qualified as administrator de bonis non of the estate of James Mortimer Jacobs, late of Allen County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 15th day of March, A D 1913.

FRED C BECKER
Probate Judge
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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

The State of Ohio, Allen County, ss: Estate of William H. Marshall, deceased.

Hamilton W. Marshall has been appointed and qualified as executor of the estate of William H. Marshall, late of Allen County, Ohio, deceased

Dated this 15th day of March, A D. 1913

FRED C BECKER,
Probate Judge.
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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

The State of Ohio, Allen County, ss: Estate of Amanda C. Jacobs, deceased.

John W Jacobs has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Amanda C Jacobs, late of Allen County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 15th day of March, A. D. 1913.

FRED C BECKER,
Probate Judge
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PROBATE NOTICE.

The State of Ohio, Allen County, ss:

To whom it May Concern: Notice is hereby given that accounts and vouchers have been filed in the office of the Probate Judge by executors of the wills of the following deceased persons:

10,286—Second and final account of Robert P. Jones as executor of the will of Evan Thomas, deceased

And by administrators of the estates of the following deceased persons:

9490—First and final account of Joseph Purtscher as administrator with the will annexed of Christian Purtscher, deceased.

9998—First, final and distributive account of Sarah R. Spyker as administratrix de bonis non with will annexed of Robert Lamberton, deceased.

10,596—First and final account of Joseph W. Askins as administrator of the estate of J. J. Worley, deceased.

10,786—First partial account of Norton Sager as administrator of the estate of Anthony Fuerst, deceased.

And by guardians and trustees of the following persons:

9010—Fourth and final account of Violet E. Sands as guardian of Helen M. Sands, a minor.

9092—First and final account of Cloyd J. Brotherton as guardian of Harry R. Fisher, a minor

9702—First and final account of Joseph E Wilson as guardian of Opal Wilson, a minor.

10,154—Second current account of Mary C. Brady as guardian of Anna B. Miller, an imbecile.

10,357—First current account of Charles M. Duggan as guardian of Joseph Duggan, a minor.

10,450—First current account of George B. Deemer as trustee of Charles L. Kanawl, cestui que trust.

10,933—First and final account of Zillorah A. Crosson as guardian of Columbia Crosson, an imb

All persons interested in any way whatever in said accounts or trusts will take notice that the same have been set for hearing on Monday the 7th day of April A D., 1913, at 10 o'clock a. m., at or before which time exceptions may be filed to any of said accounts or trusts and the same will be heard on that date or at such other time as the court may designate.

FRED C. BECKER,
Probate Judge.
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LEGAL NOTICE.

Minnie Pearl Hart, whose residence is Brazil, Indiana, is hereby notified that Ralph Howard Hart has filed his petition against her for divorce and custody of children. Case No. 15470 in Common Pleas court of Allen county, Ohio, and that said cause will be for hearing on or after the 10th day of May, 1913.

RALPH HOWARD HART
By Hughes & Tripplehorn, his attorneys mch22sat mo 6w

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

The State of Ohio, Allen County, ss. Estate of Josie Englehart, deceased.

Dennis F. Ryan has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Josie Englehart, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 25th day of March, A. D., 1913.

FRED C. BECKER,
Probate Judge,
Probate Judge, Allen County, Ohio.
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LEGAL NOTICE.

Louis Hann, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 20th day of January, 1913, Susie Hann filed her petition against said Louis Hann in the Court of the Common Pleas of Allen County, Ohio, for divorce, being case No. 15378, on the grounds of gross neglect of duty.

Said case will be for hearing on and after the 21st day of April, A. D. 1913.

SUSIE HANN,
By John H. Klatte, her Att'y.
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C., H. & D. RY.

NORTH BOUND.

No. 8. Daily	2:15 a. m.
No. 2 Daily	7.10 a. m.
No. 6. Daily	12:00 noon
No. 4 Daily	4:39 p. m.
No. 10 Daily, runs to Lima only	9:20 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 7 Daily	2:55 a. m.
No. 11 Daily	5:25 a. m.
No. 1 Daily	8:50 a. m.
No. 5 Daily	12:15 p. m.
No. 3 Daily	3.53 p. m.

L. E. & W. R. R.

EAST BOUND.

No. 18 Daily Ex. Sunday	6:50 a. m
No. 4 Daily Ex. Sunday	12:40 p. m.
No. 2 Daily	5:25 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

No. 1 Daily	9:25 a. m.
No. 3 Daily Ex. Sunday	4:00 p. m.
No. 17 Daily Ex. Sunday, runs to Lima only,	9:05 p. m.

P., F. W. & C. R. R.

EAST BOUND.

*No 24	1:14 a. m.
*No. 26	1:25 a. m.
*No. 6	7:06 a. m.
*No. 18	8:25 a. m.
*No. 16	1:27 a. m.
xNo. 52	1:56 p. m.
No. 22 All Pullman	3:22 p. m.
*No. 8	9:30 p. m.
*No . 2	10:29 p. m.

WEST ROUND

*No. 25	2:02 a. m.
xNo. 39	9:15 a. m.
*No. 23	8:57 a m.
*No. 21	10:30 a m.
*No. 9	2:39 p. m.
*No. 19	2:52 p. m.
*No. 11	7:01 p. m.

*—Daily.
x—Daily except Sunday.

CHICAGO & ERIE R. R.

(Dec. 8, 1912)

EAST BOUND.

No. 8 Daily, N. Y. Ex.	6:40 a. m.
No. 222 Daily Ex. Sunday	8:00 a. m.
No. 224 Daily Ex. Sunday	3:15 p. m.
No. 4 Daily, N. Y. Lim.	5:00 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

No. 7 Daily Chicago Ex.	1:40 a. m.
No. 227 Daily Ex. Sunday	9:20 a. m.
No. 3 Daily Chicago Lim.	11:57 a. m.
No. 233 Daily Ex. Sunday	7:20 p. m.

D., T. & I. R. R.

NORTH BOUND.

No. 2	12:05 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 1	3:35 p. m.

Both daily except Sunday

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EXPLOSION OF SODIUM KILLS MANY

MOST PECULIAR CATASTROPHY IN R. R. HISTORY.

Secretary of War Garrison a Victim of His Own Heroism.

TWENTY-FIVE MEN BLOWN TO ATOMS.

Mad River, Near Bellefontaine, Scene of Horrible Disaster.

O. U. Guy of This City, Relates Graphically His Awful Experience.

Twenty-five men, including Secretary of War Garrison are blown to atoms, and many are frightfully injured as the result of the explosion of a car of sodium at the Mad river crossing of the Big Four railroad near Bellefontaine early this morning.

This is the startling news brought here by O. U. Guy of this city, one of the survivors of one of the most gruesome and peculiar catastrophies in the history of railroading. Guy's clothes were torn to shreds and a huge splinter, apparently a part of the box car siding, had run completely through his neck but by a lucky chance it missed all vital parts. Upon his arrival here he was hurried to the hospital where he told his gruesome story to the Times-Democrat representative.

According to his story, Secretary of War Garrison with others had left the Gem City late last night, feeling that their presence there was no longer essential and started for Toledo, from which city the secretary expected to proceed to Washington.

A car load of sodium, which had been standing on a side track on the high east side of Dayton and which would have become useless in another week was coupled on the rear of the train in an effort to hurry it through to the laboratories to which it was consigned in Toledo. Had it stood on the track another week it would have meant a loss of several thousand dollars to the railroad company but little did they realize that taking it would cost many thousand more and the lives of many men and a loss to the nation of a brave and good man.

As the train neared the bridge over Mad river, near Bellefontaine, the train had to proceed at a very slow rate on account of the treacherous track. According to Guy, one of the conductors of the train noticed smoke curling from the box car and signalled the engineer to stop. The car was left standing on one side of the bridge and the main train proceeded across and waited. Many of the men of the train went back to help the train crew extinguish the fire. Secretary Garrison was among the leaders and directed the fighting of the fire. Securing an axe from the fire-fighting apparatus provided on the train, the secretary broke open the door of the car and leaping aboard with a bucket of water, he dashed the water on a smouldering box. According to Guy, who was watching from a distance, there was instantly a flash and the secretary was enveloped in flames and many of those outside the car were hurled to the ground. The secretary was seen to stagger to the door of the car with the box, his clothes burning fiercely and to pitch it into the water which lined the track

"My God," he cried, "run for your lives."

Guy says that as the box struck the water there was a loud explosion Dirt was thrown hundreds of feet into the air and Guy declares that part of the leg of a man landed at his feet. Spellbound the passengers of the train watched the car topple and fall into the water

With a roar that seemed to shake the very foundations of the earth the sodium exploded. The whole train was hurled into the water and Guy says that the bridge and the track for hundreds of feet was totally destroyed.

Strangely larger objects sustained the most damage and by what was almost a miracle very few of the watching passengers were killed but many are frightfully injured. Nothing more was seen of the men who went with the secretary to fight the fire and it is thought that they are blown to atoms. The rear wheels of the freight car were seen to land in the water several hundred feet distant.

Guy himself was hurled into the air. He says that he held his breath and waited to be plunged into the icy waters but instead he suddenly awake in his downy bed and realized that it was APRIL FIRST.

BLIND EXHIBIT POSTPONED.

On account of business conditions due to the flood, the exhibit made by the blind to have been at Bluem's store during the week has been recalled for the present. The commission hopes to have an exhibit here at some date in the near future

Children Cry
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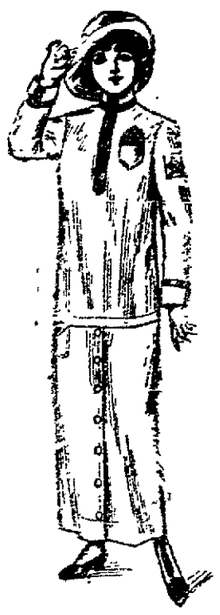
Tuesday, April 1, 1913. WEATHER—Office.

Campfire Girl's Dresses Here

Also, Syxpokette Suits



We are now showing a complete line of Middy's Skirts and Hats made by the Campfire Outfitting Co., in khaki, white galatea and navy blue serge, a regular outing dress with hats to match, in sizes 13, 15, 17, 16, 18 and 20. Campfire girls will be especially interested in these suits, as will all other girls who want a good outing suit. See style in cut to left.

The Syxpokette Suits come in khaki, like cut on right, and is a universal outing dress for girls. We have hats to match these suits. Dresses are marked to sell at $5.85; hats, **$1.00 each.** All sizes from 13 to 20.

Curtains and Draperies for Spring

All the New Weaves and Designs

Our immense line of Lace Curtains, Draperies and Materials by the yard affords one ample choice in pattern and coloring. You can not help being pleased with the many beautiful new designs—and the wide range of prices.

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Domestic Yard Goods, come in plain and fancy Nets, plain and figured Etamines; printed Voiles; white and colored Swisses; Scrims, etc., at **12½c to $1.50 yard.**

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Women's Nainsook Gowns Priced Low

Women's Nainsook Gowns of fine quality, mostly, slipover styles, lace and embroidery trimmed, good $3.25 and $3.50 values, left from our Anniversary Sale, and go **at $2.25 each.**

Another lot in same styles, would be extra good values at $2.00, also left from our Anniversary Sale, and **go at $1.25 each.**

G. E. BLUEM

BISHOP SCHREMBS APPEALS FOR AID.

The following letter has been received by the priests of the local Roman Catholic churches from the Rt. Rev. Joseph Schrembs, Bishop of Toledo.

"Toledo, O., March 30, 1913.

"Rev. and Dear Father:

"A terrible flood has swept over our fair state and it has left inconceivable and untold suffering and misery behind.

"Hundreds of lives have been lost and thousands of survivors are weeping today over the waste and the ruins of their once fair and happy homes. As the wail of suffering and the cry for help goes up from all sides, surely we may not close our ears to its call.

"I therefore ordain that on the first Sunday after the receipt of this circular, a collection be taken up at all the masses in every church of this diocese for the flood sufferers of this state I urge most earnestly that the parochial aid societies co-operate with the civic authorities in doing everything within their power to bring immediate relief to the stricken districts

"I further ordain that on Tuesday, April the 1st or on the first free day thereafter a Requiem high Mass shall be offered up for those who, with but little warning and under such awful conditions were called into eternity Let that day be observed as a day of prayer and pennance by all our people to implore the mercy of God and atone for past neglect.

"Our rivers have of late years become the campaign grounds for God-forgetting multitudes. The proper sanctification of the Sunday consecrated to the special service of God, has been but too often set aside to make room for worldly pleasure and amusement. Let us learn from this awful calamity that has come to us the bitter lesson contained therein for the healing of the wounds of our soule.

"Harken to the solemn words of God as recorded in the book of Leviticus: 'Keep my Sabbaths and reverence my sanctuary; I am the Lord. If you walk in my precepts and keep my commandments and do them, I will give you rain in due seasons and the ground shall bring forth its increase and the trees shall be filled with fruit. The threshing of your harvest shall reach unto the vintage, and the vintage shall reach into the sowing time, and you shall eat your bread to the full, and dwell in your land without fear. I will give peace in your coasts: you shall sleep and there shall be none to make you afraid' Leviticus XXVI 2-7. (The entire chapter may be read with great profit

"My heart goes out in deepest warmest sympathy to all the sufferers, and especially so to those of my own flock Oh, how empty are human words in such trying circumstances to bring relief. May then the God of all consolation comfort you and bring strength to your suffering hearts while in deepest humility we bow under the smiting hand of God and say in holiest resignation 'Father thy will be done'

"Faithfully yours in X To

"+JOSEPH SCHREMBS,

"Bishop of Toledo."

"P. S.—This letter is to be read at all the Masses on the Sunday after its receipt."

NOTICE.

Auction sale postponed on account of flood conditions. Date of sale, April 10, 1913. mch29 ap5-7

MASONIC NOTICE.

Stated assembly of Lima Council, No. 20, R. & S. M., this evening. Work on Cryptic degree.

M. G. HARPER
Thr. Ill. Master.

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SPECIAL MEETING WAS CALLED OFF.

Repairs Required By Damage to Erie Railroad Makes it Necessary to Hurry Work.

Repairs required by the late flood have hindered the plans which were being prepared by the Erie Railroad company for the elimination of grade crossing at Metcalf street, and as a result, the special meeting of the city council, planned for this week, will not be called. The matter will probably come up for discussion at the first meeting in April.

It had also been planned to discuss the proposition to raise the wages of street employees at the special meeting, but this matter will also have an airing out at the next regular meeting.

BOYS' SUMMER HOME ON AUGLAIZE RIVER

Escaped the Recent Floods and is Still Standing Intact at Scott's Crossing.

The Boys' league of St. Paul's Lutheran church have much to be thankful for, for their summer cottage, known as "Wayside," at Scott's Crossing, was in no way damaged by the waves and high waters. People who have passed by "The Wayside" say it is still intact and does not give off the resemblance of having been interfered with, in any way, by the recent floods.

The cottage was built last year as a recreation place for the young boys of the church. It was evolved out of the ingenious mind of the pastor, Rev. J. W. Richards, as solving a modern problem in church life. Rev. Mr Richards, planned the cottage and helped to build it.

The waters washed high about it, but in that it is located on an elevation, the building escaped.

Basket Ball

White Stars vs Findlay; Auditorium; Tuesday, April 1st. 6-2t

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WATER REMOVED FROM EPWORTH

Basement Cleared and Sunday Services Held as Usual by Congregation of Church.

The high waters caused the basement of Epworth Methodist church to be flooded to the depth of six feet. However, the basement was cleared for the Sunday services and in the evening Rev. J. C Floyd, of Chicago, secretary of the district missionary society, delivered the evening sermon, speaking regarding the mission cause and leaving a lesson taught by the recent destruction wrought in Ohio by the high waters.

Rev. Mr. Floyd spoke to a large crowd and an appreciative audience, delivering a splendid address. Rev. M. C. Howey, the pastor, gave up his pulpit to Rev. Mr. Floyd.

MRS. E. O. ZURMEHLY IN ENDLESS SLEEP.

Born, courted, married and died all in the same room was Mrs. Gertrude Zurmehly, who died Monday night at 10:30 at the home of her parents, J. S. and Laura Franklin of Perry township

She was the wife of E. O Zurmehly, of Shawnee township and it was by the queerest trend of circumstances that she died in the very room where all of the important events of her life had taken place. She has been suffering for about two years with tuberculosis and some time ago an operation became necessary. After the operation she was taken to the home of her parents because it was nearer than her own home and placed in the room where on January 26, 1879, she was ushered into the world. In the same room she was courted and won by E. O. Zurmehly, of Shawnee township, and there she was married. At the age of 44 she breathed her last there Monday night.

Besides her husband and her parents, she leaves one daughter, to mourn her loss

The funeral arrangements have not been completed.

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